

Read Write Inc Phonics Intervention

What is Read Write Inc Phonics intervention?

Read Write Inc. Fresh Start Phonics teaches pupils to read accurately and fluently with good comprehension, spell correctly, and compose their ideas step-by-step. They experience success from the very beginning. The programme is closely matched to their increasing knowledge of phonics and 'tricky' words and, as children re-read the stories, their fluency increases. Pupils first learn one way to read the 40+ sounds and blend these sounds into words, then learn to read the same sounds with alternative graphemes.

Who is it suitable for?

Read Write Inc. Fresh Start Phonics is ideal for pupils whose reading comprehension skills may be providing a barrier to their learning across the curriculum. The clear language and repetition benefits pupils with gaps in their basic literacy skills.

What topics do each module cover?

Read Write Inc. Fresh Start Phonics comprises 33 modules, which are aligned to the English curriculum and contain a thought-provoking introduction, prompts for thinking out loud and discussion. The pupils also are supported with spelling and encouraged to read with an expressive voice.

How are the modules used?

The short clip below gives an insight into how the programme works.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nk9tSZ5wceo>

How do we deliver the intervention in our school?

Read Write Inc. Fresh Start Phonics intervention takes place during English and MFL lessons in Year 7, providing 11 hours a fortnight of specialist teaching. Pupils are taught in groups of 6, which are led by a Specialist Dyslexia teacher and a team of highly trained Higher Level Teaching Assistants.

What is the intended outcome?

Children's reading for comprehension age and spelling age will increase to be within 'average range' for their chronological age, facilitating improved access to the whole school curriculum.