

At Daffodil Preparatory School, our English curriculum is designed to inspire a lifelong love for language and literature whilst building essential literacy skills at every stage of development. From Year 1 through Year 6, our students engage in diverse themes, genres, and writing styles. Through o-focused topics and activities tailored to each term, students develop proficiency in reading, writing, speaking, and listening. Whether it's mastering phonics and letter recognition in Year 1 or refining persuasive writing techniques in Year 6, our curriculum emphasises active engagement, critical thinking, and creative expression. Coupled with termly tests on spelling and reading, our assessments ensure continuous progress tracking, allowing us to support each student's individual growth and

English

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Year 1

- Phonics and Letter recognition
- Storytelling
- Writing skills
- Imaginative stories
- Poetry and nursery

Year 2

- Reading fluency
- Grammar and sentence structure
- Descriptive writing
- Report writing
- Storytelling

Year 3

- Inferences and prediction
- Vocabulary
- Narrative writing
- Opinion pieces
- Poetry composition

Year 4

- Understanding and summarising
- Grammar and sentences
- Persuasive writing
- Characterisation

Year 5

- Characterisation
- Context clues
- Narrative writing
- Research skills
- Poetry and performance

Year 6

- Themes and symbols
- Writing mechanics
- Persuasive writing
- Information literacy
- Short stories and Flash fiction