

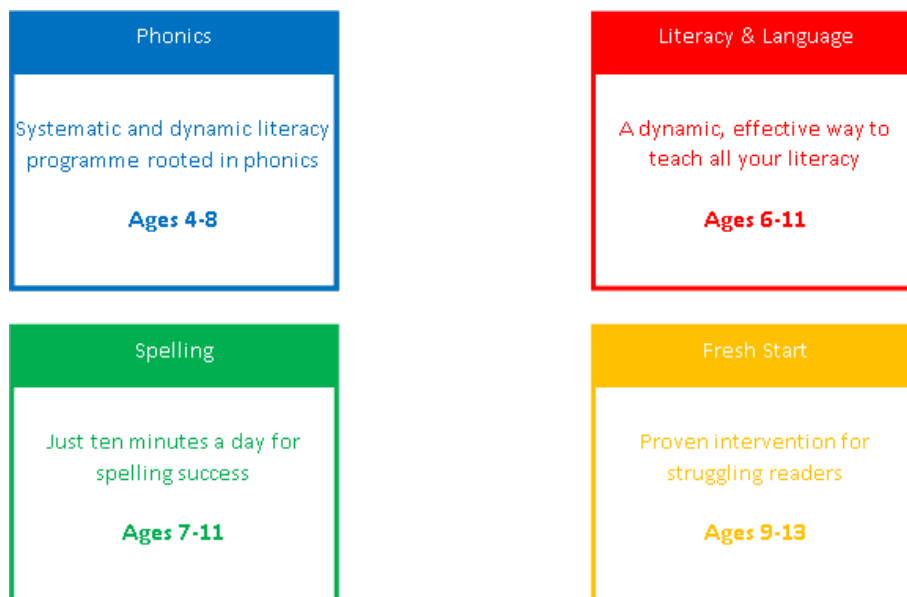


## Curriculum

All staff are responsible for raising the standards of children's attainment and achievement within each subject area and are expected to monitor and support pupil progress across the key stages. Subject leaders ensure the provision of an appropriately broad, balanced and differentiated curriculum which excites the children and nurtures a thirst for learning.

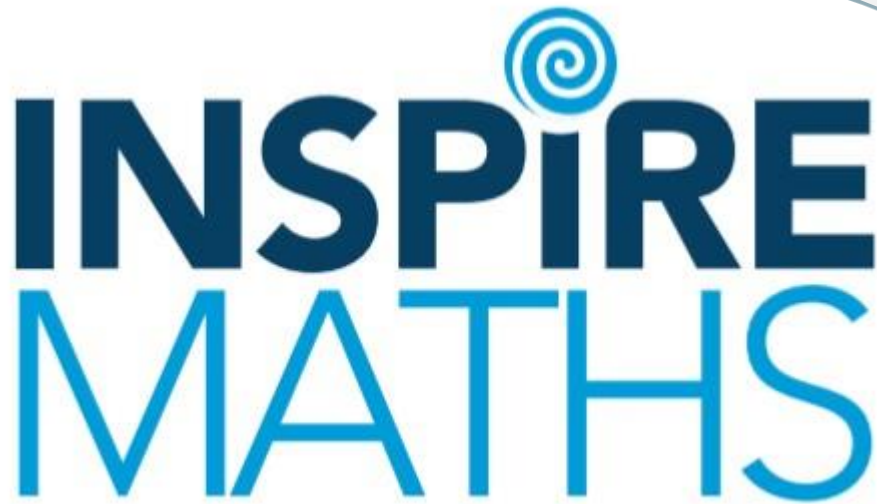
### Read Write Inc.

The *Read Write Inc.* programmes are designed to stimulate and challenge children's thinking and create enthusiastic, life-long readers and writers.



### Five key principles underpin the teaching in all *Read Write Inc.* Programmes:

- Participation - our teaching strategies ensure that all children participate fully in the whole lesson – there is no chance for children to lose concentration and miss key elements of the teaching
- Praise – children work together, as partners, taking turns to teach and praise one another and they are motivated by the focused praise they receive from teachers and teaching assistants
- Pace - a lively pace keeps all the children fully engaged
- Purpose - teachers know the purpose of every activity and how it leads into the next
- Passion - it is easy for teachers to be passionate about their teaching because they see their children make such rapid progress.



# INSPIRE MATHS

In September 2015, Gorsefield introduced Singapore Maths in Year 1 to 6.

Inspire Maths is a transformational, whole-school primary maths programme based on the leading Singapore Maths series My Pals are Here, used in 100% of Singapore's state primary schools.

Accessible pupil textbooks introduce concepts in a highly scaffolded way, enabling all children to develop critical thinking skills, make mathematical connections and become confident mathematicians

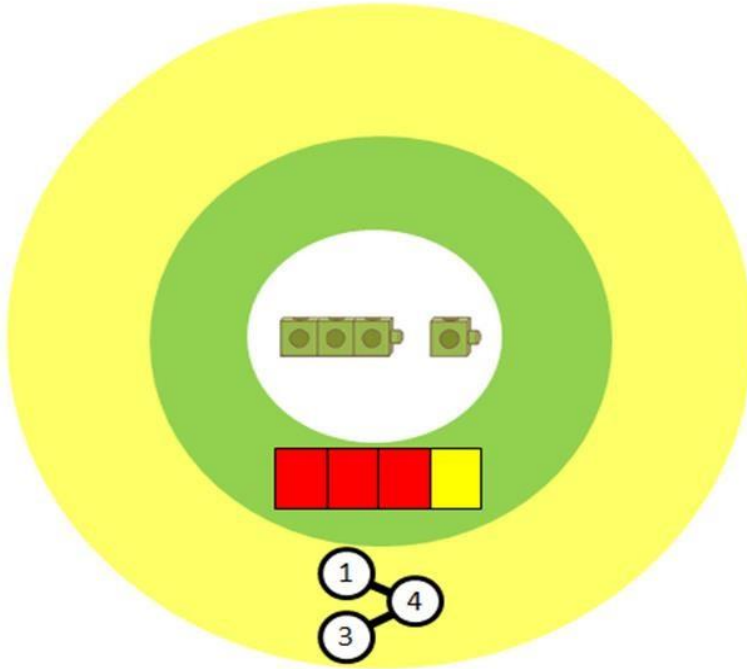
Built on a concrete - pictorial - abstract approach, ensuring secure foundations and deep understanding of mathematical concepts (mastery).

The mastery approach is a teaching methodology that builds children's conceptual understanding, language and communication. This approach enables children to apply their understanding to unfamiliar situations to problem solve effectively.

Inspire uses a spiral progression to develop fluency, reasoning, and problem solving and conceptual understanding for mastery.

[Information on the Inspire Maths Curriculum can be found on the Gorsefield Primary School Website.](#)

## The CPA approach



### Concrete:

resources such as cubes, counters and shapes

### Pictorial:

pictures, drawings

### Abstract:

numbers and symbols

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## Textbooks

Your child will work from a Pupil Textbook, as well as from a Practice Book and Assessment Book.

The numbers on the books do not necessarily correspond with your child's year group.



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If you would like to find out more information about the curriculum our school is following, please visit:

English Literacy and Language

[www.ruthmiskin.com/en/read-write-inc-programmes/literacy-and-language/](http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/read-write-inc-programmes/literacy-and-language/)

Phonics Read Write Inc

[global.oup.com/education/content/primary/series/rwi/?region=uk](http://global.oup.com/education/content/primary/series/rwi/?region=uk)

Read Write Inc Freshstart

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Or speak to a member of the school staffing team.

