

**St Augustine's
Catholic Voluntary Academy**

Year One Targets



This booklet provides information for parents and carers on the end of year expectations for children in our school. These expectations are the minimum requirements your child must meet in order to ensure continued progress.

All the objectives will be worked on throughout the year and will be the focus of direct teaching. Any extra support you can provide in helping your children to achieve these is greatly valued.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this booklet or want support in knowing how best to help your child please talk to your child's teacher.

Reading

- I can apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words.
- I can read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words.
- I can read common exception words such as 'said' and 'friend.'
- I can read aloud accurately books that match my phonic knowledge.
- I can learn some poems and rhymes by heart.
- I can check that my reading makes sense and go back to correct when it doesn't.
- I can retell key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales.
- I understand the books that I can read accurately and the stories that are read to me.
- I can discuss a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction, taking turns and listening to what others say.
- I can explain clearly what I understand about what is read to me.



Writing

- I can write sentences with capital letters and full stops.
- I use 'and' to join ideas.
- I can use conjunctions to join sentences (e.g. so, but).
- I use standard forms of verbs, e.g. go/went.
- I can use question marks and exclamation marks in my writing.
- I use capital letters for names and personal pronoun 'I'.
- I can write a sequence of sentences to form a short narrative.
- I use correct formation of all letters, starting and finishing in the correct places.
- I form capital letters correctly.
- I can spell words containing each of the 40+ phonemes taught and the common exception words.
- I can spell the days of the week.

