Communication and language

<u>Daycare</u>	Pre School	Reception	<u>ELG</u>	<u>Year 1</u>	
Listening, Attention and Understanding					
I am beginning to listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound by looking at who is speaking and copying simple actions.	I can listen to and know how to talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding. I know how to retell a story using prompts.	I can listen to and begin to talk about non - fiction stories to build familiarity and understanding	Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions.	Retell a story that they know well, remembering each of the characters and the events. Use these as a basis to make up their own stories using patterns of language from what they have heard.	
I am beginning to engage in story times by looking at who is speaking and copying some simple gestures.	I know how to describe events in some detail.	I know some events and can describe them in detail. I can anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories.			
Listen and respond to a simple instruction.	I can understand 'why' questions, like: "Why do you think the caterpillar got so fat?"	I know and can show an understanding what has been read by retelling stories and narratives using own words and	Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding.		

I understand a question	recently introduced vocabulary.	Hold conversation when	
or instruction that has	J J	engaged in back-and-forth	
two parts, such as: "Get		exchanges with their	
your coat and wait at		teacher and peers.	
the door".			
the door .			
I can understand simple	I can ask questions to find		
questions about 'who',	out more and to show		
'what' and 'where' (but	understanding I know explanations for why		
generally not 'why')	things might happen, making		
sometimes with prompts	use of recently introduced		
from my practitioner.	,		
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I can understand and act			
on longer sentences like			
'make teddy jump' or			
'find your coat'			
Titta goar coat			

Speaking					
With support, I know	Learn rhymes and songs.	Recite several rhymes and	<u>Books</u>	Include vocabulary they	
rhymes like the wheel on	I know a large repertoire	poems and express a	Miss Polly had a dolly	have heard that is relevant	
the bus and twinkle,	of songs.	preference. Mary, Mary quite contrary. Jack	Jack and Jill.	to the context when speaking	
twinkle little star.	Head, shoulders, knees	and Jill		open	
1,2,3,4,5 once I caught a	and toes.	1,2 buckle my shoe			
fish alive.	Hey diddle diddle.	Grand Old Duke of York There was an old woman who lived in			
Teddy bear, Teddy Bear	Here we go around the	a shoe.			
5 speckled frogs	mulberry bush.	Down in the Jungle			
5 Little Monkeys	Little Miss Muffet	Little Rabbit Foo Foo Wee willie winkie T			
5 little men in a flying	Miss Polly	his little piggy			
saucer	Wind the bobbin up	Mary had a little lamb			
5 little duck	1,2,3,4,5 once I caught a	Ten fat sausages Ten green bottles			
Head, shoulders, knees	fish alive.	Ten in the bed			
and toes. Hey diddle	Teddy bear,	The animals went in two by two			
diddle.	Teddy Bear	This Califfe			
Here we go around the	5 speckled frogs	COLUMN PUFFIN			
mulberry bush.	5 Little Monkeys	Sharing a Sh. U Discuss Advanta			
Little Miss Muffet Miss	5 little men in a flying				
Polly Wind the bobbin up	saucer 5 little ducks				

I am developing my confidence when speaking to my peers and adults sometimes.	I can connect one idea or action to another using a range of connectives.	I can express ideas clearly using relevant language.	Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary.	Know how to listen carefully to what others say in pairs, small groups and in whole class sessions. Join in with conversations in a group in lessons and within play.
I can copy familiar expressions and words.	I can continue to use a wider range of vocabulary.	I know recently introduced vocabulary and can understand and use this during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role play.	Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate.	Know how to start conversations with others. Ask questions to find out more information.
I can put two words together. Start to develop conversation, often jumping from topic to topic.	I can use longer sentences of four to six words. I can start a conversation with an adult or a friend and continue it for many turns.	I can show curiosity in learning and using new words drawn from speech and stories they head heard. I can hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with teacher and peers	Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher.	Speak clearly and confidently in front of the class saying what they have seen or done and begin to share their ideas clearly. Tell others how they are feeling using suitable vocabulary.
Uses longer sentences of four to six words, sometimes accurately.	I can express a point of view and debate when they disagree with an			

I am starting to use talk	adult or a friend, using		Join in with role-play and begin to adopt and
to organise myself and my play. "Let's go on a	words as well as actions.		maintain a character role
bus." "You sit there."			
I can talk about familiar			
books 1-1 with my			
practitioner by looking at the pictures.			
	I am beginning to develop my confidence when speaking to my peers and adults.		
	I know how to use talk to organise themselves and their play: "Let's go on a bus you sit there		
	I'll be the driver."		