**Guidance and Expectations for GPS**

The following topics should be taught and revisited across the year. One lesson a week should be a discrete GPS lesson; the learning needs to be revisited throughout POR lessons.

**Year 1**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | Noun (object/person)Adjective (describing word)QuestionSentence |
| **Punctuation** | PunctuationCapital letters for the personal pronoun and for namesFull stopQuestion mark |
| **Vocabulary** | Letter, word |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | Nouns (object/person)Adjective (describing word)Verbs (doing/being/having)QuestionsCommandsExclamationsSentencesCo-ordinating conjunctions: Join sentences using ‘and’ |
| **Punctuation** | PunctuationCapital letters for the personal pronoun and for namesFull stopQuestion markExclamation marks |
| **Vocabulary** | Plural noun suffixesSuffixes with no change to root word -ed, -ing and -er |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | Noun (object/person)Adjective (describing word)Verbs (doing/being/having)QuestionsCommandsExclamationsSentenceCo-ordinating conjunctions |
| **Punctuation** | PunctuationCapital letters for the personal pronoun and for namesFull stopQuestion markExclamation marks |
| **Vocabulary** | Adding the prefix -un (e.g. unhappy) |

**Year 2**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | Co-ordination using but, andTenseNoun phraseSentence (identifying errors)StatementQuestionCommandExclamationAnswering questionsAdjectiveVerbsVerb tenses |
| **Punctuation** | Capitals for namesFull stopsQuestion marksExclamation markComma in list |
| **Vocabulary** | Plurals of nounsAdding adjective suffix ‘y’ (smelly, icy, shiny, runny)PrefixesCompound words |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | NounsVerbsSentencesCo-ordination using but, and, orExpanded nun phrasesProgressive form of verbsSubordination using because, ifStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamationsTensesAdverbs |
| **Punctuation** | Apostrophes (contractions)Capital lettersFull stopsQuestion marksExclamation marksCommas in lists |
| **Vocabulary** | Distinguishing homonyms and near-homonyms (their, there, they’re; here, hear; be, bee; bare, bear; one, won)Suffixes: ful, less; er and est |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | Expanded noun phrasesPast and present progressive forms of verbsTensesStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamationsAdjectivesAdverbsSubordination using because, if, when, thatCo-ordination using or, and, butSentencesSimple past and simple presentSubordinating conjunctions |
| **Punctuation** | Apostrophes (contractions)Capitals lettersFull stopsQuestion marksExclamation markCommas in listPossessive apostrophes |
| **Vocabulary** | Distinguishing homonyms and near-homonyms (sea, see, to, too, two; quite, quiet, bare, bear; one, won; blue, blew)Suffixes er (comparative) and est (superlative) |

**Year 3**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | Conjunctions of time, place and cause (e.g. when, before, after, while, so, because)Subordinate clauseClause co-ordinationPreposition of time (e.g. before, after, during, in, because of)Adverbs of time (e.g. before, after, during, in, because of)Adverbs of time (e.g. then, next, soon, therefore) and manner (e.g. kindly)Expanded noun phraseTenses – present and past progressiveTense consistencyStatementQuestionCommandExclamationWords order in questions |
| **Punctuation** | Capitals for names and sentencesFull stopQuestionExclamation markApostrophe for contractionCommas in lists |
| **Vocabulary** | Prefixes to make nouns: super, anti, autoPluralsNoun suffix -ment, ness |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | ConjunctionsStatementsQuestionsCommandsSubordinationSentences and clausesCo-ordinating conjunctionsAdverbs of time and mannerPrepositionsTensesPresent perfect form of verbs (e.g. he has gone instead of he went)Present and past progressiveNouns/verbs/adjectives/adverbsExpanded noun phrasesStandard English choosing a or an |
| **Punctuation** | Direct speechInverted commas/speech marksApostrophes for contraction and possessionCapitals for names and sentencesFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksCommas in lists |
| **Vocabulary** | Homophones and near-homophones: ball/bawl, berry/bury, grate/great, groan/grown, here/hear, heel/heal/he’ll, mail/male, main/mane, meat/meet, plain/plane, scene/seen, weather/whetherSuffixes – plurals including potatoes |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | Expanded noun phrasesNounsAdjectivesVerbsConjunctionsAdverbsPrepositions of space, place and timeStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamations SubordinationNoun phrasesSentences and clausesTensesPresent perfect form of verbsVerb forms |
| **Punctuation** | Capitals for names and sentencesFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksApostrophes for contraction and possessionInverted commasCommas in lists |
| **Vocabulary** | Word families (e.g. solve, solution, dissolve, insoluble)Rand of suffixesPrefixesHomophones and near-homophones |

**Year 4**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | Nouns and adjectivesAdverbs and verbsExpanded noun phrasePrepositionsPronounsChoice of pronoun or nounPresent perfect instead of simple pastTensesStandard English was, wereSubordinationFronted adverbialStatementQuestionCommandExclamationTime conjunctionsConjunctionsDeterminers |
| **Punctuation** | Possessive apostrophePlural and possessive ‘s’Apostrophe in contractions!.? and capitalsInverted commasCommas in lists |
| **Vocabulary** | Word familiesNoun-forming prefixes: sub, inter, super, anti, autoSuffixesHomophones and other confusable words |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | NounsAdjectivesConjunctionsAdverbsVerbsUse of modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional phrases Expanded noun phrasesStandard English: did, doneDeterminersTensesPresent perfect instead of simple pastStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamationsMatching verb forms to singular/plural nounsPrepositionsPronouns and nounsCo-ordinating conjunctionsSubordinationFronted adverbialsTime conjunctions |
| **Punctuation** | Commas after fronted adverbialsInverted commasCapitals for names and sentencesFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksApostrophes for singular and plural possessionApostrophes after singular proper nouns ending in s (e.g. James’s toys) |
| **Vocabulary** | Noun-forming prefixesSuffixesHomophones and near homophones |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | Labelling word classesNounsAdjectivesAdverbsVerbsFronted adverbialsPrepositionsTenses; tense consistencySentences and clausesCo-ordinating conjunctionsSubordinating conjunctionsPresent perfect instead of simple pastDeterminersMatching verb forms to singular/plural nounsChoice of noun or pronounStandard English: did, done, was, werePossessive pronounsNoun phrases |
| **Punctuation** | Capitals for names and sentencesFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksAll apostrophesCommas in listsComma after fronted adverbialInverted commas |
| **Vocabulary** | Word familiesPrefixesSuffixes |

**Year 5**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | DeterminersNounsAdjectivesAdverbs/adverbialsVerbsTensesPerfect formPrepositionsModal verbsSubordinationChoice of noun/pronoun for cohesionConjunctions of timeExpanded noun phraseStandard English did/done; were/wasStatementRelative pronoun (who, which, where, when, whose, that)Relative clauseModal verbsPrefixesVocab questionsCommandsExclamations |
| **Punctuation** | Commas to clarify meaning/ambiguityCommas after fronted adverbials and in listsCommas in lists!.? and capitalsInverted commasAll apostrophesBrackets for parenthesis |
| **Vocabulary** | Homophones and other words that are often confusedAloud/allowed; farther/further; guessed/guest; heard/herd; steel/steal; cereal/serial; desert/dessertWord familiesSynonyms and antonyms |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | TensesPerfect formPrepositionsDeterminersRelative clausesNoun phrasesChoice of nouns/pronouns for cohesionRelative pronouns (who, which, where, when, whose, that)NounsAdjectivesAdverbsAdverbialsVerbsStatementsCommandsExclamationsFronted adverbialsConjunctions of timeModal verbsStandard English: did/done; were/wasSubordinationPrefixes |
| **Punctuation** | Commas to clarify meaning/ambiguityCommas after fronted adverbialsCommas in listsCapitalsFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksApostrophesInverted commasCommas and dashes for parenthesis |
| **Vocabulary** | Word familiesPrefixesHomophones and near homophones |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | NounsAdverbsAdverbialsVerbsAdjectivesDeterminersPrepositionsConjunctions of timeSubordinationPerfect form of verbsModal verbsChoice of noun or pronounExpanded noun phrasesTense consistency Relative clause where relative pronoun may be omittedRelative pronounsStandard EnglishSentence types |
| **Punctuation** | Commas to clarify meaning/ambiguityCommas after fronted adverbialsCommas in listsCapitalsFull stopsQuestionsExclamation marksInverted commasAll apostrophesBrackets, commas and dashes for parenthesis |
| **Vocabulary** | Word familiesSynonyms and antonymsHomophones and near homophonesSuffixesPrefixes |

**Year 6**

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| **Autumn** |
| **Grammar** | Passive and active voiceSubject, objectPronouns and nouns for cohesionPossessive pronounsRelative pronounsAdverbials for cohesion (e.g. on the other hand, in consequence, therefore)Modal verbsExpanded noun phraseWord classes: noun, verb, adverb, adjective, determinerPrepositionsStatementQuestionCommandExclamationVerbs in the perfect formTensesFronted adverbialSubordinationAdverbs for degrees of possibilityStandard English: was/were; did/doneRelative clausesQuestion tags in informal speech |
| **Punctuation** | Inverted commasColon to introduce listPlural and possessive ‘s’Semi-colon between independent clausesCommas to clarify meaning and in listsCommas after fronted adverbialsCapital lettersInverted commasApostrophesBrackets and dashes for parenthesis |
| **Vocabulary** | Formal and informal vocabularyWord familiesHomophones and other words that are often confused: advice/advise; device/devise; licence/license; practice/practise; prophecy/prophesySynonyms and antonyms |

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| **Spring** |
| **Grammar** | Expanded noun phrases to convey complex ideasWord classes: nouns, verbs, adverbs, adjectives, determinersPrepositionsStandard English: was/were; did/donePassive and active voicePerfect form of verbsStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamationsRelative clausesPossessive pronounsRelative pronounsAdverbsFronted adverbialsRelative clausesCo-ordinating conjunctionsSubordinationPronouns and nouns for cohesionAdverbials for cohesionModal verbsSentence subject and objectQuestion tags in informal speech |
| **Punctuation** | Bullet pointsApostrophesCapital lettersHyphens to avoid ambiguityColon to introduce list and semi-colon within listInverted commasSemi-colonsCommas in listsCommas to clarify meaningCommas for parenthesis |
| **Vocabulary** | Formal and informal languageSynonyms, antonymsWord familiesHomophones and near homophones: ascent/assent; morning/mourning; principle/principal |

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| **Summer** |
| **Grammar** | Word classes: nouns, verbs, adverbs, adjectives, determinersPrepositionsPerfect form of verbsTensesPronouns and nouns for cohesionAdverbials for cohesionModal verbsConjunctionsRelative clausesPossessive pronounsRelative pronounsTime conjunctionsStatementsQuestionsCommandsExclamationsExpanded noun phrasesSubjunctive in passive sentences (e.g. If I were, Were they to…)Simple past and simple presentVerbs in the perfect formPassive and active voiceStandard English: was/were; did/doneSentence subject and objectQuestion tags in informal speech |
| **Punctuation** | EllipsisCommas to clarify meaning and in listsInverted commasApostrophesDashes and semi-colonsSemi-colons between independent clausesColon to introduce a listBrackets and dashes for parenthesisBullet points |
| **Vocabulary** | Synonyms and antonymsFormal and informal languageHomophones and near homophones: aisle/isle; affect/effect; precede/proceed; dissent/descent; alter/altar; prophet/profit; stationary/stationery; bridle/bridal; complement/compliment |