Allanson Street Primary School – MFL Progression Document



	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
LISTENING	Listen to and enjoy songs. Recognise familiar words and short phrases covered in the units taught. Listen to and identify particular sounds in familiar contexts (focus on known phonemes e.g. II = 'y' sound/grapheme).	Listen to longer sentences and understand more of what they hear by picking out key words and phrases covered in current and previous units. Listen to and identify sounds in words and short phrases and write them accurately.	Listen to and show understanding of more complex sentences containing familiar words. Listen to and identify sounds in longer sentences.	Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding. Listen to and identify sounds in a series of longer sentences.
SPEAKING	Communicate with others using simple words and short phrases covered in the units. Answer and begin to ask simple questions.	Communicate with others with improved confidence and accuracy. Ask and answer several simple familiar questions.	Communicate on a wider range of topics. Ask and answer more complex familiar questions with a scaffold for responses.	Engage in short conversations on familiar topics responding with opinions and justifications where appropriate.

	Read familiar words and short phrases accurately by applying phonics knowledge. Understand the meaning in English of short words they read in Spanish.	Read longer sentences with increased accuracy. Read and show understanding of familiar longer sentences.	Read more complex sentences in a wider range of contexts with accurate pronunciation. Read and show understanding of a complex sentence containing familiar language.	Read and pronounce words with increasing accuracy and independence in a series of sentences. Read and show understanding of a series of more complex sentences.
WRITING	Year 3 Year 4 Write familiar words, phrases and short sentences using a scaffold.		Year 5 Year 6 Write familiar longer sentences using a scaffold changing words to create new sentences.	
	Write simple, familiar, short words and phrases from memory with understandable accuracy.		Write familiar longer sentences from memory without a scaffold.	