English coordinator Report

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Spring term 2016

Action	Outcome/Impact
 Prepare and deliver staff meeting in January 	 Updates given out to all staff Showed all staff where documents were saved on the server Looked at exemplification materials with staff Recapped on reciprocal reading strategies (use new format)
 Speak with staff and decide if a different planning format for 'Talk for writing' would be useful (to be asked in staff meeting) 	 Agreed that it is difficult to plan on the current format so a new format must be agreed by all staff using the approach
 Ensure all year groups are teaching towards new expectations (but may need to track back) 	 Yes planning checked and on server. New expectations being covered Also checked planning files to see if staff are adapting planning to the needs of their children- annotations indicated this was happening
 Embedding talk for reading strategies- staff meeting lead by Jenn and Susan 	 Covered a lot of Pie Corbett approaches Reminder of ways to engage, teach and talk about reading and developing inference skills
 Monitor the use of reciprocal reading and inference interventions across the school (Reception to use during whole class story) 	 New guided reading formats given out in staff meeting. Need to monitor impact in Summer term
• Book week	 Big Foot production company lead whole school assembly, followed by workshops for y2 to y6

	 Left schemes of work for all year groups linked to the story of the three little pigs Successful 'Pocket money sale' after school (left over stock being sold on parents afternoon) Vivian French author visit with year 6 to motivate and inspire children, positive impact on writing seen in books. Book tokens given out to all children
 Ordered additional non-fiction reading books to supplement existing stock 	 Children have a greater range of non-fiction to choose from and provide a greater challenge for the more able. Also these texts are more engaging for reluctant boys

Priorities for Summer term:

- Book scrutiny
- Reading file monitoring
- Monitor use of new guided reading format used in each year group
- Monitor ways each year group are gathering reading evidence