



Droxford Junior School

Mid-year Reports Spring 2018



Dear Parents,

This year we have created mid-year reports in order to help you understand where your child is on their learning journey. In these reports, you will find the objectives that your child is working towards as well as information about their attainment and attitude to learning. This report will be used at Parents Evening to discuss your child's progress.

The current government has set clear expectations that children need to meet key requirements by the end of each academic year in order to be on track to meet the end of Key Stage 2 expectations (Year 6). We know that all children acquire knowledge and skills at different rates and ages and this report will give you an idea of their progress and attainment within the year. If your child is currently below (not on track) this report can give guidance and support alongside the conversations that should be taking place already between yourselves and school staff.

The following information will help to give you a clear idea of where your child is compared to **Age Related Expectations (ARE)**.

The number refers to the year group curriculum they are currently working within and the letters refer to the following:

- E - Entering** that year group's curriculum. Showing an initial understanding and carrying out learning with support.
- D - Developing** that year group's curriculum. Showing an increased understanding of the curriculum and working more independently but has not yet been taught the full breadth of the curriculum.
- S - Secure** in that year group's curriculum. Has met all of the **ARE** criteria and they are able to work independently.

As a general guide, in the Autumn term, we would expect a child to be 'Entering' (E), **in the Spring term 'Developing' (D)** and by the end of the year 'Secure' (S). So a year 3 child ideally would be 3E, 3D then 3S as they progress throughout that year group.

Below is the progression scale:

Year Group	Band	
1	E	
1	D	
1	S	→ End of Year Expectations - (ARE) for Year 1
2	E	
2	D	
2	S	→ End of Year Expectations - (ARE) for Year 2
3	E	
3	D	
3	S	→ End of Year Expectations - (ARE) for Year 3
4	E	
4	D	
4	S	→ End of Year Expectations - (ARE) for Year 4
5	E	
5	D	
5	S	→ End of Year Expectations - (ARE) for Year 5
6	E	
6	D	
6	S	→ End of Year Expectations- (ARE) for Year

Our website has more information on our assessment and reporting to parents. You can find more information at: <http://droxfordjunior.co.uk/assessment/>

Thank you for your continued support,

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