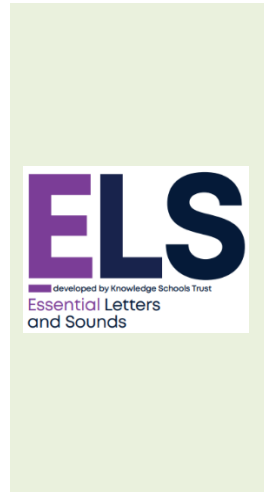


# Early Reading at Fallings Park



At Fallings Park, reading is at the heart of the curriculum as it enables our pupils to become lifelong learners and to achieve their full potential.

In our reception classes, our pupils begin their reading adventure using the 'Essential Letters and Sounds' Synthetic Phonics Programme. This fun and engaging programme is specifically designed to teach children to read with accuracy and fluency. Pupils take part in daily, high quality phonic sessions and are taught to develop the essential skills of blending to read and segmenting to spell.



To ensure all our pupils make progress and keep up with their peers, they are assessed half termly and 'In the moment' interventions are put in place daily.

When ready, our pupils are provided with a fully decodable reading book which contains sounds they know and some common exception words, that they have been taught.

This book will be read in school with a trained adult and taken home. Pupils will also have access to an online library of e books, which match their skills.

Please support your child in their reading journey by reading with them regularly at home.

