







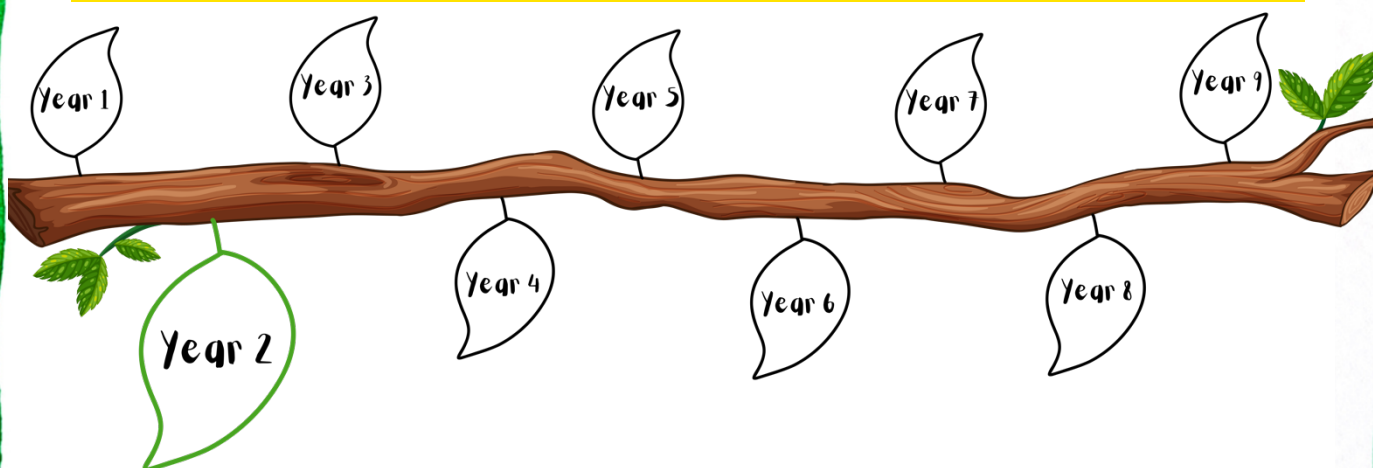
English - Year 2 Curriculum

SIL

Based on UK's National Curriculum Objectives (Statutory Requirements)

*(This curriculum framework is for reference only, the actual **SIL Test** will cover more than the content stated here, and some of the questions are intentionally designed to be slightly more advanced than the corresponding year level, this is to help identify the high achievers in the group, and to determine where all participants' strengths lie in terms of Reading, Grammar and Vocabulary)*

Aspects/Categories	Details
Word: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Formation of nouns using suffixes (e.g., -ness, -er).Expanded use of compound words (e.g., whiteboard, playground)Expanded knowledge of -ly suffix to form adverbs.
Sentence: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Subordination (e.g., using when, if, that, because).Coordination (e.g., using or, and, but).
Text: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Sequencing sentences to form short narratives.
Punctuation: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Correct use of apostrophes for contraction and possession.Commas in lists.
Key Knowledge: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Understanding sentence relationships through conjunctions (and, but, because).Recognizing contractions and their full forms (e.g., "can't = cannot").Introduction to adverbs as modifiers of verbs (quickly, happily).Recognizing apostrophes for both omission (e.g., "don't") and possession (e.g., "the girl's bag").
Vocabulary: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Expanded descriptive words (e.g., noisy, smooth, cheerful).Basic vocabulary for storytelling and sequencing (e.g., first, next, then).Words expressing time, place, and cause (e.g., soon, under, because).



English - Year 2's Sample Word List / Key Vocabulary

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Based on UK's National Curriculum – English Appendix

(This list is for reference only, the actual **SIL Test** will cover more than the content stated here, some of the vocabulary appearing in our test will be more advanced than those shown in the list below)

Word	Sample Sentence	Word	Sample Sentence
rich	The cake was rich in flavour and texture.	tasty	The pizza is tasty with lots of cheese.
poor	The poor dog was abandoned by its owner.	bland	The soup was bland , so I added some salt.
clever	The clever boy solved the puzzle quickly.	delicious	The ice cream is delicious on a hot day.
silly	She made a silly face and everyone laughed.	safe	It is safe to walk on the sidewalk.
messy	His desk was messy with books everywhere.	dangerous	It is dangerous to play near the street.
funny	The clown was funny , making everyone laugh.	interesting	The book is interesting and I can't put it down.
serious	She was serious about doing well in school.	boring	The movie was boring , and I fell asleep.
excited	They were excited to open their presents.	mild	The weather is mild , with a gentle breeze.
curious	The curious cat explored the new house.	organized	Her desk was organized with everything in its place.
sleepy	He was sleepy after a long day at school.	tidy	She made sure her room was tidy before she left.
tired	She was tired after running a long race.	clumsy	The clumsy boy tripped over the toys on the floor.
large	The elephant is large and strong.	generous	He was generous and shared his lunch with me.
noisy	The car was noisy as it drove down the street.	greedy	The greedy dog ate all of the food at once.
calm	The ocean was calm and peaceful.	fat	The cat got fat after eating too much food.
lovely	The yellow flowers were lovely and bright.	skinny	The skinny child ran quickly to catch up.
fearful	She was fearful of the dark.	gentle	She gave the baby a gentle hug.
shy	He was shy when meeting new people.	angry	He was angry when he lost his toy.
bold	She was bold enough to ask the question.	friendly	The dog was friendly and liked to be petted.
careful	Be careful when holding the fragile glass vase.	scared	I was scared when I heard a loud noise outside.
helpful	Billy was very helpful during the project.	jolly	The jolly old man laughed as he played with them.
polite	She's polite and always shows good manners.	wise	The wise owl could see well in the dark.
rude	It's rude to interrupt people's speeches.	adorable	The baby dolphin is absolutely adorable .
warm	It was warm , and we went to the beach.	timid	She was timid about speaking in front of the class.
ugly	The monster looked ugly with sharp teeth.	dirty	His shoes were dirty from walking in the mud.