

|   | <b>Phonics<br/>Phase/Letters and<br/>Sounds</b> | <b>Balderstone<br/>Book Band</b> | <b>Our<br/>Sticker<br/>colour</b> | <b>Pearson Bug Club</b>  |
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| Fully<br>phonically<br>decodable<br>readers<br>with<br>common<br>high<br>frequency<br>words | Phase 1<br>(wordless)                           | Lilac                            |                                   | Lilac  |
|   | Phase 2   | Pink                             |                                   | Pink A/B<br>Set 1-2 s a t p i n m d<br>Set 3 g o c k<br>Set 4 c k e u r<br>Set 5 h b f ff ll l ss  |
|   | Phase 3   | Red                              |                                   | Red A/B/C<br>6 j v w x<br>7 y z zz qu<br>8 ch sh th ng<br>9 ai ee igh oa oo<br>10 ar or ur ow oi<br>11 ear air ure er  |
|   | Phase 3   | Yellow                           |                                   | Yellow A/B/C<br>Consolidation reads  |
|   | Phase 3/4                                       | Light Blue                       |                                   | Blue A/B/C<br>13 wp ph<br>14 ay a-e igh ey ei<br>(long a)<br>15 ea e-e ie ey y (long e)<br>16 ie i-e y i (long i)<br>17 ow o-e o oe (long o)<br>18 ew ue u-e (long u)<br>u oul (short oo)<br>19 aw au al<br>20 ir er ear |
| Mostly<br>decodable<br>readers<br>with  | Phase 4/5                                       | Green                            |                                   | Green A/B/C<br>21 ou oy<br>22 eer ere are ear<br>23 c k ck ch  |

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| extended<br>HFW and<br>tricky<br>words |           |           |  | 24 c(i) c(y) sc stl<br>25 g(e) g(i) g(y)<br>26 le mb kn gn wr<br>27 tch ch c(ial)<br>ss(ion) t(ion) |
|  | Phase 4/5 | Orange    |  | Orange A/B  |
|  | Phase 5   | Turquoise |  | Turquoise   |
|  | Phase 5/6 | Purple    |  | Purple  |
|  | Phase 5/6 | Gold      |  | Gold  |
|  | Phase 6   | White     |  | White A/B Bridging<br>bands   |
|  | Phase 6+  | Lime 1    |  | Lime A/B Bridging<br>bands  |

**BRONZE**

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|-------------------------------------|--------|--|--|--------------|
| Gold                                | Year 3 | Brown<br>(includes<br>Gold,<br>White 1,<br>White 2<br>and<br>Lime 1) |  | Brown<br>A/B |
| White 1<br>& 2<br>Bridging<br>bands |        |  |  |              |
| Lime 1<br>& 2<br>Bridging<br>bands  |        |  |  |              |
|                                     | Year 4 | Grey<br>(includes<br>previous<br>Ruby 1)                             |  | Grey         |

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|             |        | & 2 books)  |  |                     |
| SILVER BAND |        |   |  |                     |
|             | Year 5 | Dark Blue<br>(includes previous Sapphire books)     |  | Blue<br>KS2 A/B     |
|             | Year 6 | Dark Red<br>(includes some previous Sapphire books) |  | Red A/B<br>Red Plus |
| GOLD BAND   |        |   |  |                     |