Key Performance Indicator	Year 5 Milestones - English (Spoken Language)
To listen carefully and understand	I can confidently respond to questions with a yes / no, or single sentence answer.
	I can recognise idioms.
	I can respond to the speaker's main ideas, as I make relevant comments and suggestions in a group discussion.
	I can identify how language choices vary in my own and others' talk in different situations.
To develop an interesting and wide vocabulary	I can use adventurous vocabulary when I speak.
	I can explain the meaning of words and think of synonyms when asked.
	I can use a wide range of phrases that include adjectives and to help me describe.
To speak with clarity	I can speak clearly, with some explanation of points and ideas.
	I can respond to questions posed and be able to ask other people suitable questions.
	I can identify grammatical structure and features of spoken and written accounts.
To tell stories with structure	I can perform poems and plays with a range of expression and intonation, learning lines by heart.
To hold conversations and debates	I can accept others' point of view and be able to suggest
	alternatives in response to their ideas.
	I can promote my own ideas in a debate.
	I can join in discussions about books, using prompts, taking turns and responding to what others say.