



# PHSE and RSE Assessment



Leve	Sensory Level Descriptors
1(i)	Notice auditory stimuli e.g. startle to loud music (1) Notice visual stimuli e.g. response to lights (1) Notices tactile stimuli e.g. responding to touch (1) Notice olfactory stimuli e.g. responding to smell Notices vestibular e.g. movement such as rocking Obvious reaction to close contact with familiar adult Responds to obvious stimuli (3) Distress reduced by physical contact Distress calmed by calming voice Reduces activity in response to touch or voice Demonstrates a range of unintentional vocalisation when content Demonstrates a range of unintentional vocalisation when hungry Demonstrates a range of unintentional vocalisation when in pain Demonstrates a range of unintentional vocalisation when tired Demonstrates a range of unintentional movements when content Demonstrates a range of unintentional movements when distressed Demonstrates a range of unintentional movements when in pain Demonstrates a range of unintentional movements when in pain
1(ii)	Demonstrates brief memory for previously presented stimuli Fleeting/inconsistent responses to familiar voice/personal identifier More consistent reaction to a close adult Intermittent awareness of stimulus in different positions Fleeting response to 3 different tactile stimuli Fleeting response to 3 different visual stimuli Fleeting response to 3 different olfactory stimuli



Fleeting response to 3 different vestibular stimuli Fleeting response to 3 different auditory stimuli Inconsistent response when talked to. Notices new, unfamiliar faces Engage in mutual gaze with an adult in a variety of settings. Show an awareness of object placed in hand/on body Quietens at familiar voice or sound Plays at making different vocal sounds alone or with others 'SPLIT' Smile in response to adult smiling Brings attention back to adult with an auditory prompt Bring attention back to activity/object with a physical prompt Brings attention back to activity/object with an auditory prompt 20. Bring attention back to adult with a physical prompt Responds to a range of stimuli people, objects and events Responds to own name by a familiar person ` Responds consistently to one stimulus Supported 1:1 turn taking Terminates an interaction with adult, without full intention e.g. low levels of concentration or distracted easily Aided exploration of the environment Briefly follow objects in vertical plane Briefly follow objects in horizontal plane 2(i) Consistent response to a personal identifier Follows familiar adults across the room Responds to own name by unfamiliar person Anticipates a consistently repeatedly presented stimuli Shows pleasure at physical interactions e.g. rocking, tickling Consistently anticipates repetitively presented response Terminate intention with intention Sustain gaze/interest in object for a few seconds



	Let go of one toy in response to being offered another
	Tolerates adult in parallel play
	To show some response to own reflection
	To hold an offered object from an adult for a short period of time.
	Responds differently to different stimulus e.g. ball or instrument
	Anticipates within familiar social routines
	Redirection to second object
	Random activities cause effect
	Looks briefly after disappearing object
	Action on reactive environment
	Communicates more in inconsistent ways
	Contingency responding e.g. lots of redundant activity
	Contingency responding with objects e.g. mobiles
	Behaviour interpreted as rejection (11)
2(ii)	Purposefully terminates interaction with adult
	Make a choice between two objects presented visually in close proximity
	Demonstrating consistent negative response to things they don't like (new)
	Demonstrating consistent positive response to things they do like.
	To return an object to an adult upon request with a physical and verbal prompt.
	To attend to photos/pictures when used in daily routines (registers/timetable)
	To anticipate what comes next in familiar song (action or verbally)
	To engage with a peer who is in close proximity by reaching out or vocalising.
	Repeating a behaviour which produces a response.
	Uses eye contact to engage with another person in a 1:1.



Objects to termination of an activity

Objects to termination of a communication

Purposeful action on everyday environment e.g. in close proximity, supported by staff

Changes in behaviour in response to something nearby

Intentional exploration of the environment e.g. growing awareness of immediate environment, more independent exploration of the environment.

Looks forward and backwards between two objects

Perseveres by repeating action for reward in social game

Repeats action if first attempt in unsuccessful

Attracts attention by reaching out or physical action

**3(i)** Attracts attention vocally

Object permanence

Make a choice between two familiar objects using photographs (new)

To respond to an adult saying 'no' with intonation or gesture by pausing in what they are doing.

They request an activity by gesture, vocalisation or looking at the adult or object.

To attend to adult as they wave and say goodbye.

To respond to praise

They observe the results of their own actions.

They respond to the results of their own actions e.g. laughing or clapping.

To show excitement in anticipation of favourite activity/object.

To request a drink or snack with less support at appropriate times of the day.

Develops own consistent way of requesting more of an activity

Communicate no more through a consistent action

Contingency awareness

Communicate choice to an attentive adult

**3(ii)** Deliberately gaining attention of another person to satisfy need

Shared attention

Expresses preference for items not present via symbolic means

Early problem solving, tries a new strategy when old one fails

Initiates actions to achieve desired results



Initiates social game

Does two different action in sequence to get a reward

Selects from more than two items

Modifies action when repeating action does not work

Used preferred mode of communication to say 'hello'.

To understand how a book works e.g. turn pages, turn the book the correct way round.

Consistently greet known people in preferred mode of communication

Consistently select correct symbol to represent main character in a book

To demonstrate understanding of 5 timetable symbols.

To independently explore an object in more complex ways, for a sustained period of time.

Begins to show an interest in actions of other peers.

Level	Curriculum Assessment Statements
4	Indicates preferences
	Passes object when asked
	Responds to a familiar routine
	Sits in a small group with an adult e.g. for story time
	Recognises own belongings
	Shows appropriate response to adult praise
	Expresses feelings using words, gestures, signs or symbols (choice of two)
	Participates in a group activity
	With support, remains on task in directed activity
5	Asks for help with word or gesture
	Helps to hand out objects to a group
	Accepts a short wait
	PSHE - Shares the same central equipment source
	Responds appropriately to others' feelings e.g. comforting a crying peer
	Makes some modification in behaviour when criticised
	Remains on task in directed activity
6	Seeks out and begins to interact with specific children
	Aware of where equipment is located
	Works / plays alongside another pupil without adult support
	Begins to understand the difference between right and wrong
	Begins to show some awareness of danger
7	Accepts they don't always get what they ask for
	Locates and collects appropriate resources for a familiar activity
	Can take turns in a small group
	Shares their own ideas in a group discussion



	Talks about their family/class/group Identifies the sex of peers and adults
8	Aware of common dangers e.g. broken glass Knows we need to eat a variety of food Demonstrates an understanding of personal hygiene routines e.g. brushing teeth Attempts to play within the rules of a game Begins to identify the consequences of their actions Listens and responds to other people's ideas
9	Can identify basic school rules  Knows that they need to keep themselves clean Can identify the features of a healthy lifestyle Can identify people who help them and the ways in which they help them Recognises what is important in their lives Able to show respect to others' feelings and ideas Suggests what they could do if treated unkindly Demonstrates an awareness of the changes that take place during puberty
10	Understands the idea of taking a vote  Demonstrates an understanding of the human life cycle- baby/child/adult  Knows why they need to lead a healthy lifestyle  Identifies features of physical and emotional bullying  Can identify differences between themselves and others  Participates in a group discussion  Can communicate ideas about their own interests or hobbies
11	Begins to adapt their behaviour appropriately to avoid danger.  Discusses ways of helping themselves in a threatened situation  Able to describe different types of bullying  Able to share resources and work with a partner  Identifies some basic needs of people  Makes suggestions about how to keep the school/local environment clean



	Demonstrates an awareness of appropriate relationships with different types of people.
	Identifies ways in which the environment can be damaged
	Discusses the achievements of themselves and others
	Knows it is wrong to treat people differently because of their differences
12	Begins to adapt their behaviour appropriately to avoid danger when out in the community
	Recognises ways in which they can help others in different situations
	Identifies the different emergency services and their roles
	Describes the communities to which they belong
	Can manage potentially dangerous situations appropriately
	Takes turns in a large group discussion
	Considers how responsibilities may be stereotyped by gender or age i.e. Mum cooks
13	Understands how money can be earned and spent/saved
	Using past experience, plans their actions to achieve the desired result
	Identifies how their actions affect others
	Identifies things that can cause them to be sad/happy/angry/jealous/frightened/excited/embarrassed/proud
	Identifies features of an environment elsewhere in the world
	Identifies sources for help and support for people in the community
	Explores the role of the local council
14	Discusses how equal opportunities can be given to all
	Understands drugs can have harmful effects
	Offers ideas to combat bullying
	- Describes the main stages of the human life cycle
	Identifies their own strengths and weaknesses
	Explores the role of the UK government
	Identifies examples of anti-social behaviour
15	Explores how race and religion can affect people's lives
	Identifies a range of strategies for coping with emotional difficulties i.e. time out
	Identifies people who try to influence them
	Defines legal and illegal



16	Recognises their personal strengths and how this affects their self-confidence and self-esteem
	Identifies strategies for resisting pressure from peers/society/media
	Understands what constitutes a balanced diet and its benefits (including the risks associated with both obesity and dieting)
	- Demonstrates an awareness of the qualities and behaviours they should expect and exhibit in a wide variety of positive
	relationships (including teams, class, friendships etc.)
	Explores the relationship between rights and responsibilities
	Understands that there are different types of work, including employment, self-employment and voluntary work
	Understands the consequences of breaking the law
	Makes effective use of constructive feedback, differentiating between helpful feedback and unhelpful criticism
	Considers different levels of intimacy and their consequences
	Recognises bullying and abuse in all its forms and has the skills and strategies to manage being targeted or witnessing others
	being targeted
17	Understands the impact of stereotyping, prejudice, bullying, discrimination on individuals and communities
	Recognises the shared responsibility to protect the community from violent extremism and knows how to respond to anything that
	causes anxiety or concern
	Explores how to use money responsibly
	Demonstrates an awareness of lifelong learning.
	Takes increased responsibility for monitoring their own health (including testicular and breast self-examination)
	Knows where and how to obtain health information, advice and support (including sexual health services)
	Recognises and manages feelings about, and influences on, their body image including the media's portrayal of idealised and
	artificial body shapes
18	Understands the wider risks and consequences of legal and illegal substance use including on their personal safety, career,
	relationships and future lifestyle
	Recognises the impact of drugs and alcohol on choices and sexual behaviour
	Thinks critically about extremism and intolerance in whatever forms they take
	Recognises the range of opportunities available to them for career progression, including in education, training and employment