



Year 1 Writing Framework

Aspect	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Handwriting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil in a tripod grip comfortably and correctly. I form the digits 0-9. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I form consistently sized and recognisable lower case letters in print. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I form capital letters. I form lower case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place. (<i>cursive – kicks and flicks</i>).
Spelling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I spell unknown words using Set 1 and 2 phonemes (sounds). (<i>Phonetically plausible attempts: yoo, rayn, sed, frend</i>). I write from memory rehearsed simple dictated sentences including the words taught so far (hold a sentence). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I use the suffixes -s, -es, -ing, -ed, -er and where no change is needed in the root words. Use prefixes un-. I write from memory simple dictated sentences including the words taught so far (hold a sentence). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I name the letters of the alphabet in order. I use letter names to show alternative spellings of the same phonemes. I spell words that use suffixes for plurals or third person. (<i>adding s/es – box</i>).
Composition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I say a sentence out loud before I write it down. (<i>Hold a sentence</i>). I can re-read what I've written with someone. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I can plan my writing by saying what I am going to write about. I can read my own writing aloud so it can be heard by others and to check for sense. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I sequence sentences to form short narratives. (<i>Beginning/middle/end sentences link and build on from each other</i>). I use sequence sentences in chronological order to recount an event/experience. (<i>Basic adverbials – for, when, first, then, next, after that</i>).
Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I use the personal pronoun 'I'. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I use 'and' to join ideas within a sentence. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I may attempt to use other conjunctions such as but and because.. I make sure that word choices are relevant to the context and I use word banks to support this. I begin to use adjectives to add detail to my sentences.
Punctuation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I leave spaces between words. I use a capital letter for the start of a sentence. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I begin to use other punctuation such as exclamation and question marks. I use a full stop accurately. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I use capital letters for names of people, places and days of the week.