Year 1 Writing

Spelling:

- 1. I can identify known phonemes in unfamiliar words.
- 2. I can use syllables to divide words when spelling.
- 3. I use what I know about alternative phonemes to narrow down possibilities for accurate spelling.
- 4. I can use the spelling rule for adding 's' or 'es' for verbs in the 3 rd person singular.
- 5. I can name all the letters of the alphabet in order.
- 6. I can use letter names to show alternative spellings of the same phoneme.

Handwriting:

- 7. I can sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly.
- 8. I can form lower case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place.
- 9. I can form capital letters and digits 0-9.

Composition:

- 10. I can compose a sentence orally before writing it.
- 11. I can sequence sentences in chronological order to recount an event or experience.
- 12. I can re-read what I have written to check that it makes sense.
- 13. I leave spaces between words.
- 14. I know how the prefix 'un' can be added to words to change meaning.
- 15. I can use the suffixes 's', 'es', 'ed', and 'ing' within my writing.

Sentence structure:

16. I can combine words to make a sentence.

17. I can join two sentences using 'and'.

Text structure:

18. I can sequence sentences to form a narrative.

Punctuation:

- 19. I can separate words using finger spaces.
- 20.I can use capital letters to start a sentence.
- 21. I can use a full stop to end a sentence.
- 22.I can use a question mark.
- 23.I can use an exclamation mark.
- 24.I can use capital letters for names.
- 25.I can use 'I'.

