ORACY and VOCABULARY

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Sentence stems I like I don't like One day Next In the end I thinkbecause	Sentence stems I like/don't like because I think happened because I feel that Next time I First, next I agree/disagree because.	Sentence stems I thinkbecause They are similar/different because I know this because I found Next time I could It was interesting because I like the part where I predict that	Sentence stems An argument for/against is I understand, however It appears to be I enjoyed it because Maybe next time you could try My opinion is Building on I remember that.	Sentence stems An argument for/against is I understand, however It appears to be I understand that depending on I understand your point of view however You could improve this work by It was successful because Due to the fact that Most reasonable people would agree that Due to Subsequently	Sentence stems In my opinion I have two main reasons for In some ways Another feature However they also differ Perhaps some people would argue Furthermore they It is clear that I deduce that In conclusion Perhaps the reason Therefore, in my opinion	Sentence stems On the one hand I am convinced that Given that Another feature they have in common The similarities/differences are significant because Based on Having considered I infer from this that This suggests Having considered This is supported by the fact that Possible improvements may include Subsequently Consequently After consideration/reflection In summary The consequences of
Vocabulary Phoneme, sound, grapheme, digraph, trigraph, Letter, word, sentence, capital letter, full stop, finger space	Vocabulary letter, capital letter, word, singular, plural, sentence, punctuation, full stop, question mark and exclamation ma	Vocabulary To recognise and use the terms noun, noun phrase, statement, question, exclamation, command, compound, suffix, adjective, adverb, verb, present tense, apostrophe and comma	Vocabulary conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, consonant letter, vowel, vowel letter and inverted commas (or speech marks).	Vocabulary determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun and adverbial	Vocabulary modal verb, relative pronoun, relative clause, parenthesis, bracket, dash, cohesion and ambiguity	Vocabulary subject, object, active, passive, synonym, antonym, ellipsis, hyphen, colon, semicolon and bullet points.

TEXT TYPES and GENRES

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Traditional and fairy tales Stories with predictable and patterned language Character / setting descriptions speech / thought bubbles	Stories with predictable and patterned language Traditional and fairy tales Stories with familiar settings Character/setting descriptions	Stories with familiar settings Different stories by the same author Character/setting description Extended stories (quest /adventure)	Traditional Stories (different cultures) Adventure stories Dialogue and plays Character description Settings description	Mystery Stories set in an imaginary world (fantasy) Stories from other culture Narrative writings from different viewpoints Myths	Stories which raise issues or dilemmas (fables)F and legends Stories from other cultures Significant authors Classic fiction	Stories with flashbacks writing narrative Setting descriptions Diary Classic fiction Stories with an historical setting
Labels, lists and captions Information texts Posters, leaflets, recount, letter, postcard invitation, instructions, diary	Instructions Labels, lists and captions Letters /postcard Information texts Invitation Recounts	Reports Information texts Recounts Instructions Fact writing/leaflet	Instructions Reports newspaper) Recounts diary Persuasive text advert	Information texts(non chron Explanation texts Letters/informal Persuasive leaflet Biography)	Reports (newspaper) Recount 2 perspectives) Persuasive writing Letters Argument/Debate Instruction	Autobiographies /biographies (Formal/impersonal writing Letters /Diary Persuasive writing speech/campaign/reviews Non-chronological reports Explanations
Nursery Rhymes Seasonal senses poetry Riddles Repeated Pattern and Rhyme	Poems about nature Use the senses Repeated pattern and rhyme Nursery Rhymes	Poems on a theme e,g. animals Patterns and rhyme Riddles, nonsense tongue twisters	Poems to perform (poems around world- traditional poems- (narrative) Language play (poems to create image Shape, calligrams)	Poems to perform Creating images Exploring poetry form(Haiku/ Kenning) Language play (list poems/odes)	Poetic style Poetry on a theme Performance poetry The power of imagery Narrative poetry highwayman	The power of imagery Black out Conversational poetry/ Poet study Performance (choral)
Nursery rhymes, What makes me a MEI, My. Big Family, Rainbow fish, Elmer, The Colour Monater, Dipal's Diwall, Golditicks and three bears, Whatever Next Christmas at the Toy Museum, Lost in the Toy Museum, Dear Santal, Lost and found, The Empero's Egg, Superpotate, Jack and Beanstalk, The Tiny Seed, My Bean Diary, Dinosaur Stone, How to look after a dinosaur, What the Ladybird heard, The Three Little Pigs The Queen's Hat, The Naughty Bus, Commotion in the Quean, Under the sea information books, Under the sea information books, The Charles of the Hungry Caterpillar, Mad about Update	Little Red Riding Hood Hansel and Gretel Three Little Pigs The Last Wolf Peter Pan. The Pirate Cruncher How to be a pirate in 10 easy stages. Dougal's Deep Sea Diary. Possum Magic.	George and the Dragon Chris Warmain My first book of London Charlotte Guillain Ice bear (N Davies) Walk with a wolf The Egg Poles apart Jeanne Willis and Jarvis Katie in London Brave and the Fox Toby and the Great Fire of London	Escape from Pompel Christina Balit The Great Race Dawn Casey Stone Age Boy Satosh Kitamura Usbourne The stone age Sentinel How to wash a woolly mammoth M Robinson	The secret of Black Rock Joe Todd Stanton Destination Planet Earth Jo Nelson Tom Clohosy Cole The Great Kapok Tree Lynne Cherry Deadly Factbooks Steve Backshall The Orchard Book of Greek Myths, G. M.	Kensuke's Kingdom Michael Morpurgo I survived the Titanio Dragons Hoard Lari Don Haiwatha The Bus Ride that Changed History Brother Eagle Sister Sky S Jeffers	ice Trap Meridith Hooper The Lost book of adventure Bear Gryfs survival Camp Survival skills handbook Letters from the Lighthouse Emma Carrol My Secret War Diary Marcia Williams Stowaway Julia Jarman Animal Superheroes William Shakespeare M Manning Classic Stories tales from Shakespeare

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		Vlad and the Great Fire of London									
PHONICS and SPELLING RULES											
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6					
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To spot and suggest	To know all letters of the	To segment spoken words	To spell words with the / eɪ/	To spell /shuhn/ endings	To spell word endings that	To spell words ending in -able and -					
rhymes	alphabet and the sounds	into phonemes and to	sound spelt 'ei', 'eigh', or	spelt with 'sion' (if the root	sound like / shuhs/ spelt	ably (e.g. adorable/ adorably,					
	which they most commonly	represent these with	'ey' (e.g. vein, weigh, eight,	word ends in 'se', 'de' or	with -cious (e.g. vicious,	applicable/ applicably, considerable/					
To spot and suggest	represent.	graphemes, spelling many	neighbour, they, obey).	'd', e.g. division, invasion,	precious, conscious,	considerably, tolerable/ tolerably).					
alliteration		of these words correctly		confusion, decision,	delicious, malicious,						
	To recognise consonant	and making phonically	To spell words with the /ɪ/	collision, television).	suspicious).	To spell words ending in -ible and -					
To count or clap syllables in	digraphs which have been	plausible attempts at	sound spelt 'y' in a position		To spell words with	ibly (e.g. possible/possibly,					
a word	taught and the sounds	others.	other than at the end of	To spell words with a /	endings that sound like /	horrible/horribly, terrible/ terribly,					
	which they represent.		words (e.g. mystery, gym).	shuhn/ sound spelt with	shuhs/ spelt with –tious or	visible/visibly, incredible/incredibly,					
To identify and recognise		To recognise new ways of	_ , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	'ssion' (if the root word	-ious (e.g. ambitious,	sensible/sensibly).					
words with the same initial	To recognise vowel	spelling phonemes for	To spell words with a /k/	ends in 'ss' or 'mit', e.g.	cautious, fictitious,	_ " ' ' ' ' ' ' '					
sound	digraphs which have been	which one or more	sound spelt with 'ch' (e.g.	expression, discussion,	infectious, nutritious).	To spell words with a long /e/ sound					
To evelly accomment and	taught and the sounds	spellings are already	scheme, chorus, chemist,	confession, permission,	To an allandaith (ailant)	spelt 'ie' or 'ei' after 'c' (e.g. deceive,					
To orally segment and blend words.	which they represent.	known and to learn some words with each spelling,	echo, character).	admission).	To spell words with 'silent' letters (e.g. doubt, island,	conceive, receive, perceive, ceiling) and					
biena words.	To recognise words with	including some common	To spell words ending in the	To spell words with a /	lamb, solemn, thistle,	exceptions (e.g. protein, caffeine,					
To read and write all phase	adjacent consonants.	homophones (e.g.	/g/ sound spelt 'gue' and the	shuhn/ sound spelt with	knight).	seize).					
2 and 3 sounds.	adjacent consonants.	bare/bear, blue/ blew,	/k/ sound spelt 'que' (e.g.	'tion' (if the root word	Kiligitt).	seize).					
2 and 3 sounds.	To accurately spell most	night/knight).	league, tongue, antique,	ends in 'te' or 't' or has no	To spell words containing	To spell words with endings which					
	words containing the 40+	mgnt, kinght.	unique).	definite root, e.g.	the letter string 'ough'	sound like /shuhl/ after a vowel					
To use their phonic	previously taught	To apply further Y2	unique).	invention, injection, action,	(e.g. ought, bought,	letter using 'cial' (e.g.					
knowledge to write words	phonemes and GPCs.	spelling rules and	To spell words with a / sh/	hesitation, completion).	thought, nought, brought,	official, special, artificial).					
in ways which match their	prononces and or est	guidance*	sound spelt with 'ch' (e.g.	l licontation, completion,	fought, rough, tough,	omeial, special, arameial,					
spoken sounds.	To spell some words in a	8	chef, chalet, machine,	To spell words with a /	enough, cough, though,	To spell words with endings which					
	phonically plausible way,		brochure).	shuhn/ sound spelt with	although, dough, through,	sound like /shuhl/ after a vowel					
	even if sometimes		,	'cian' (if the root word	thorough, borough,	letter using 'tial' (e.g. partial,					
	incorrect.		To spell words with a short	ends in 'c' or 'cs', e.g.	plough, bough	confidential and essential)					
			/u/ sound spelt with 'ou'	musician, electrician,							
	To apply Y1 spelling rules		(e.g. young, touch, double,	magician, politician,							
	and guidance*,		trouble, country).	mathematician).							
			To spell words ending with	To spell words with the /s/							
			the /zher/ sound spelt with	sound spelt with 'sc' (e.g.							
			'sure' (e.g. measure,	sound spelt with 'sc'							
			treasure, pleasure,								
			enclosure).								

To write some irregular common word	To spell all Y1 common exception words correctly.* To spell days of the week correctly.	To spell most Y1 and Y2 common exception words correctly	To spell words ending with the/cher/ sound spelt with 'ture' (e.g. creature, furniture, picture, nature, adventure). To spell many of the Y3 and Y4 statutory spelling words correctly.	(e.g. science, scene, discipline, fascinate, crescent). To spell all of the Y3 and Y4 statutory spelling words correctly	To spell many of the Y5 and Y6 statutory spelling words correctly	To spell all of the Y5 and Y6 statutory spelling words correctly
	To use -s and -es to form regular plurals correctly. To use the prefix 'un-' accurately. To successfully add the suffixes –ing, –ed, –er and –est to root words where no change is needed in the spelling of the root words (e.g. helped, quickest).	To add suffixes to spell most words correctly in their writing, e.g. – ment, –ness, –ful, –less, – ly.	To spell most words with the prefixes dis-, mis-, bi-, reand de- correctly (e.g. disobey, mistreat, bicycle, reapply, defuse). To spell most words with the suffix-ly with no change to the root word; root words that end in 'le', 'al' or 'ic' and the exceptions to the rules. To spell words with added suffixes beginning with a vowel (-er/-ed/- ing) to words with more than one syllable (unstressed last syllable,e.g. limiting offering). To spell words with added suffixes beginning with a vowel (-er/-ed/- en/-ing) to words with more than one syllable	To correctly spell most words with the prefixes in-, il-, im-, ir-, sub-, super-, anti-, auto-, inter-, ex- and non- (e.g. incorrect, illegal, impossible, irrelevant, substandard, superhero, autograph, antisocial, intercity, exchange, nonsense). To form nouns with the suffix -ation (e.g. information, adoration, sensation, preparation, admiration). To spell words with the suffix -ous with no change to root words, no definitive root word, words ending in 'y', 'our' or 'e' and the exceptions to the rule (e.g. joyous, fabulous, mysterious, rigorous, famous, advantageous).	To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ate (e.g. activate, motivate communicate). To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ise (e.g. criticise, advertise, capitalise). To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ify (e.g. signify, falsify, glorify). To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -en (e.g. blacken, brighten, flatten).	To use their knowledge of adjectives ending in -ant to spell nouns ending in -ance/-ancy (e.g. observant, observance, expectant, hesitant, hesitancy, tolerant, tolerance, substance). To use their knowledge of adjectives ending in -ent to spell nouns ending in -ence/-ency (e.g. innocent, innocence, decent, decency, frequent, frequency, confident, confidence, obedient, obedience, independent). To spell words by adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in -fer (e.g. referring, referred, referral, preferring, preferred, transferring, transferred, reference, referee, preference, transference).
	To spell simple compound words (e.g. dustbin, football). To read words that they have spelt.	To spell more words with contracted forms, e.g. can't, didn't, hasn't, couldn't, it's, I'll.	To spell some more complex homophones and near-homophones, including here/hear, brake/break and mail/ male.	To spell words that use the possessive apostrophe with plural words, including irregular plurals (e.g. girls', boys', babies', children's, men's, mice's).	To spell complex homophones and near-homophones, including who's/whose and stationary/stationery.	To spell homophones and near homophones that include nouns that end in -ce/-cy and verbs that end in -se/-sy (e.g. practice/ practise, licence/license, advice/advise).

To take part in the process	To learn the possessive	To use the first two or three		To use the first three or	
of segmenting spoken	singular apostrophe (e.g.	letters of a word to check its	To use their spelling	four letters of a word to	To spell words that contain hyphens
words into phonemes	the girl's book).	spelling in a dictionary	knowledge to use a	check spelling, meaning or	(e.g. co-ordinate, re-enter, co-
before choosing			dictionary more efficiently.	both of these in a	operate, co-own).
graphemes to represent	To write, from memory,			dictionary	
those phonemes	simple sentences dictated				To use a knowledge of morphology
	by the teacher that				and etymology in spelling and
	include words using the				understand that the spelling of some
	GPCs, common exception				words needs to be learnt specifically.
	words and punctuation				
	taught so far.				To use dictionaries and thesauruses
					to check the spelling and meaning of
	To segment spoken words				words and confidently find synonyms
	into phonemes and to				and antonyms.
	then represent all of the				
	phonemes using				
	graphemes in the right				
	order for both for single-				
	syllable and multisyllabic				
	words.				
	To self-correct				
	misspellings of words that				
	pupils have been taught				
	to spell (this may require				
	support to recognise				
	misspellings)				

WRITING TRANSCRIPTION- HANDWRITING and PRESENTATION								
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils. Develop their small motor skills so that they can use pencils for writing. Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor. Develop the foundations of a handwriting style which is fast, accurate and efficient. Show a preference for a dominant hand To show good control and coordination in large and small movements. To handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing.	To write lower case and capital letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place with a good level of consistency. Write dictated sentences from memory To sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly. To form digits 0-9. To begin to form lower case letters correctly To understand which letters belong to which handwriting 'families' (i.e. letters that are formed in similar ways) and to practise these. To use finger spaces. Cursive writing to be used as a model in Y1 promoting children to join as and when they are ready.	To write capital letters and digits of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and to lower case letters. To form lower case letters of the correct size, relative to one another. To use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters. To begin to use the diagonal and horizontal strokes needed to join letters. To use joined writing by the end of Y2 To write full date and underline on each piece of work (short date maths)	To use a neat, joined handwriting style with increasing accuracy and speed To continue to use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and to understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left unjoined. To always start at the margin and leave a line between paragraph	To increase the legibility, consistency and quality of their handwriting [e.g by ensuring that the downstrokes of letters are parallel and equidistant; that lines of writing are spaced sufficiently so that the ascenders and descenders of letters do not touch]. To confidently use diagonal and horizontal joining strokes throughout their independent writing to increase fluency	To increase the speed of their handwriting so that problems with forming letters do not get in the way of writing down what they want to say. To be clear about what standard of handwriting is appropriate for a particular task, e.g. quick notes or a final handwritten version. To confidently use diagonal and horizontal joining strokes throughout their independent writing in a legible, fluent and speedy wa	To write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed by: -choosing which shape of a letter to use when given choices and deciding whether or not to join specific letters; - choosing the writing implement that is best suited for a task. To recognise when to use an unjoined style (e.g. for labelling a diagram or data, writing an email address or for algebra) and capital letters (e.g. for filling in a form)		

WRITING COMPOSITION: PLANNING PURPOSE and AUDIENCE							
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Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences. Connect one idea or action to another using a range of connectives. Retell a story, once they have developed a deep familiarity with the text, some as exact repetition and some in their own words. Use new vocabulary in different contexts. To compose a sentence orally before writing it.	To say out loud what they are going to write about. To compose a sentence orally before writing it. To sequence sentences to form short narratives Use a story map/ storyboard Use 3 part story plan opening, middle ending To discuss what they have written with the teacher or other pupils. To reread their writing to check that it makes sense and to independently begin to make changes. To read their writing aloud clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher. To use adjectives to describe.	To write about personal experiences and those of others (real and fictional). To write about real events. To plan what they are going to write about, including writing down ideas and/or key words and new vocabulary. Use story maps and mountains and 'boxing up' text. To encapsulate what they want to say, sentence by sentence. To make simple additions, revisions and corrections to their own writing by evaluating their writing with the teacher and other pupils. To reread to check that their writing makes sense and that the correct tense is used throughout. To proofread to check for errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation (e.g. to check that the ends of sentences are punctuated correctly	To begin to use ideas from their own reading and modelled examples to plan their writing. Use story mountains, maps and 'boxing up' of texts To proofread their own and others' work to check for errors (with increasing accuracy) and to make improvements. To begin to organise their writing into paragraphs around a theme. To compose and rehearse sentences orally (including dialogue). To read their own work aloud to a group or whole a class. To propose changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve	To discuss writing which is similar to which they are planning To Identify the audience and purpose for writing To compose and rehearse sentences orally (including dialogue), progressively building a varied and rich vocabulary and an increasing range of sentence structures. To consistently organise their writing into paragraphs around a theme to add cohesion and to aid the reader. Use story mountains, maps and 'boxing up' of texts To proofread consistently and amend their own and others 'writing, correcting errors in grammar, punctuation and spelling and adding nouns/ pronouns for cohesion.	To plan their writing by identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for their own. To consider, when planning narratives, how authors have developed characters and settings in what pupils have read, listened to or seen performed. To proofread work to précis longer passages by removing unnecessary repetition or irrelevant details. To consistently link ideas across paragraphs. To proofread their work to assess the effectiveness of their own and others' writing and to make necessary	To note down and develop initial ideas, drawing on reading and research where necessary. To use further organisational and presentational devices to structure text and to guide the reader (e.g. headings, bullet points, underlining). To use a wide range of devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs. To habitually proofread for spelling and punctuation errors. To propose changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning. To recognise how words are related by meaning as synonyms and antonyms and to use this knowledge to make improvements to their writing	

To express themselves effectively, showing awareness of listeners' need effectively, showing awareness of listeners' need types and to make relevant choices about subject matter and appropriate vocabulary from their reading, their discussions about it (one-to-one and as a whole class) and from their wider experiences. To read aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear To write a range of narratives and non-fiction purposes and audiences, selecting naratives and non-fiction purposes and audiences, selecting narratives and non-fiction purposes with an awareness of increasing understanding of purposes and audiences, selecting narratives and non-fiction purposes and audiences, selecting narratives and non-fiction purposes. To write a range of narratives and non-fiction and non-fiction purposes. To write a range of narratives and non-fiction and non-fiction purposes. To write a range of narratives and non-fiction and non-fiction and non-fiction structure. To write a range of narratives and non-fiction and non						corrections and	
To express themselves effectively, showing awareness of listeners' need types and to make relevant choices about subject matter and appropriate wocabulary choices. To start to engage readers by using adjectives to describe. To start to engage readers by using adjectives to describe. To read aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear To feed aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear To make deliberate ambitious word choices about subject. To read eloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear To read aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear To make deliberate ambitious word choices to add detail. To make deliberate ambitious word choices and sa whole class, using characters and plot in narrative and non-fiction grammar. To write a range of native and non-fiction give and audience by discussing writing similar to their different parts with the appropriate structure, of a wider range of text types, (including the use of simple layout devices in another to add such as arbitious word choice arbitious word choice arbitious word choices arbitious word choice arbitious word ch							
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	effectively, showing	features of different text types and to make relevant choices about subject matter and appropriate vocabulary choices To start to engage readers by using adjectives to	purposes with an awareness of an increased amount of fiction and non-fiction structures. To use new vocabulary from their reading, their discussions about it (one-to-one and as a whole class) and from their wider experiences. To read aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to	increasing understanding of purpose and audience by discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar. To begin to use the structure of a wider range of text types (including the use of simple layout devices in nonfiction e.g. headings and subheadings). To make deliberate ambitious word choices to add detail. To begin to create settings, characters and plot in	narratives and non-fiction pieces using a consistent and appropriate structure (including genre-specific layout devices). To write a range of narratives that are well-structured and well-paced. To create detailed settings, characters and plot in narratives to engage the reader and to add atmosphere. To begin to read aloud their own writing, to a group or the whole class, using appropriate intonation and to control the tone and volume so that the meaning	improvements. To consistently produce sustained and accurate writing from different narrative and non-fiction genres with appropriate structure, organisation and layout devices for a range of audiences and purposes. To describe settings, characters and atmosphere with carefully-chosen vocabulary to enhance mood, clarify meaning and create pace. To regularly use dialogue to convey a character and to advance the action. To perform their own compositions confidently using appropriate intonation, volume and movement so that meaning is	purposes and audiences, selecting the appropriate form and drawing independently on what they have read as models for their own writing (including literary language, characterisation, structure, etc.). To distinguish between the language of speech and writing and to choose the appropriate level of formality. To select vocabulary and grammatical structures that reflect what the writing requires (e.g. using contracted forms in dialogues in narrative; using passive verbs to affect how information is presented; using modal verbs to suggest degrees

GRAMMAR and PUNCTUATION								
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To answer 'how' and 'why' questions about their experiences and in response to stories or events. To use past, present and future forms accurately when talking about events that have happened or are to happen in the future	To use simple sentence structures	To use the present tense and the past tense mostly correctly and consistently. To form sentences with different forms: statement, question, exclamation, command. To use some features of written Standard English	To try to maintain the correct tense (including the present perfect tense) throughout a piece of writing with accurate subject/verb agreement. To use 'a' or 'an' correctly throughout a piece of writing	To always maintain an accurate tense throughout a piece of writing. To always use Standard English verb inflections accurately, e.g. 'we were' rather than 'we was' and 'I did' rather than 'I done'.	To use a range of adverbs and modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility, e.g. surely, perhaps, should, might, etc. To ensure the consistent and correct use of tense throughout all pieces of writing	To ensure the consistent and correct use of tense throughout all pieces of writing, including the correct subject and verb agreement when using singular and plural.		
To begin to use more complex sentences to link thoughts when speaking (e.g. using 'and' and 'because').	To use the joining word (conjunction) 'and' to link idea and sentences. To begin to form simple compound sentences.	To use some subordination (when/if/ that/because). To use expanded noun phrases to describe and specify (e.g. the blue butterfly).	To use subordinate clauses, extending the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, including when, if, because, and although. To use a range of conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to show time, place and cause.	To use subordinate clauses, extending the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, which are sometimes in varied positions within sentences. To expand noun phrases with the addition of ambitious modifying adjectives and prepositional phrases, e.g. the heroic soldier with an unbreakable spirit. To consistently choose nouns or pronouns appropriately to aid cohesion and avoid repetition, e.g. he, she, they, it.	To use a wide range of linking words/phrases between sentences and paragraphs to build cohesion, including time adverbials (e.g. later), place adverbials (e.g. nearby) and number (e.g. secondly). To use relative clauses beginning with a relative pronoun with confidence (who, which, where, when, whose, that and omitted relative pronouns), e.g. Professor Scriffle, who was a famous	To use the subjunctive form in formal writing. To use the perfect form of verbs to mark relationships of time and cause. To use the passive voice. To use question tags in informal writing.		

					inventor, had made a new discovery.	
	To use capital letters for names, places, the days of the week and the personal pronoun 'I'. To use finger spaces.	To use the full range of punctuation taught at key stage 1 mostly correctly including: - capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks; -	To use the full range of punctuation from previous year groups. To punctuate direct speech accurately, including the use	To use all of the necessary punctuation in direct speech, including a comma after the reporting clause and all end punctuation within the inverted commas.	To use commas consistently to clarify meaning or to avoid ambiguity. To use brackets,	To use the full range of punctuation taught at key stage 2 correctly, including consistent and accurate use of semi- colons, dashes, colons, hyphens, and, when necessary, to use such punctuation precisely to
	To use full stops to end sentences. To begin to use question marks and exclamation marks	commas to separate lists; apostrophes to mark singular possession and contraction	of inverted commas Place possessive apostrophe correctly with regular plurals and irregular Use first 2 or 3 letters to look up words in a dictionary	To consistently use apostrophes for singular and plural possession To consistently use comma after fronted adverbial	dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis	enhance meaning and avoid ambiguity.
To show an understanding of prepositions such as 'under', 'on top', 'behind' by carrying out an action or selecting correct picture.	To recognise and use the terms letter, capital letter, word, singular, plural, sentence, punctuation, full stop, question mark exclamation mark	To recognise and use the terms noun, noun phrase, statement, question, exclamation, command, compound, suffix, adjective, adverb, verb, present tense, past tense, apostrophe and comma	To recognise and use the terms preposition, conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, consonant letter, vowel, vowel letter and inverted commas (or speech marks).	To recognise and use the terms determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun and adverbial	To recognise and use the terms modal verb, relative pronoun, relative clause, parenthesis, bracket, dash, cohesion and ambiguity	To recognise and use terms subject, object, active, passive, synonym, antonym, ellipsis, hyphen, colon, semicolon and bullet points