



Mount Pleasant Primary School  
Year 1 Writing



**Transcription - Spelling**

- I can spell Year 1 List 1.
- I know the letters of the alphabet in order.
- I know the names of the letters of the alphabet.
- I can spell new words using the sounds I can hear in them.
- I can spell Y1 List 2.
- I can spell the days of the week.
- I can use the prefix –un.
- I can use the spelling rules I know in my writing.
- I can spell Y1 List 3.
- I use the syllables of a word to spell it (beats).
- I can use letter names to spell alternative sounds. i.e. ay, ai, a-e
- I can use the spelling rule for adding the -s or -es suffix. i.e. third person/plural
- I spell using – ing, -ed, -er, -est accurately. NB no change to the root word.

**Handwriting**

- I can sit correctly at a table to write.
- I can hold a pencil correctly and comfortably.
- I am beginning to form lower case letters accurately.
- I can form digits 0-9 accurately.
- I can form capital letters correctly.
- I know which letters belong to which handwriting families.

**Composition**

- I can think it and say it before I write it.
- I can write simple phrases and clauses.
- I can use and repeat key words in my writing.
- I can talk about my writing with my teacher or my friends.
- I am beginning to be able to read my writing back to an audience.
- I can write a simple sentence.
- I can use some adjectives.
- I can write a sequence of sentences. i.e. in a story, recount, retelling, description.
- I can re-read my writing to check for sense.
- I can read my writing aloud so all of my group can hear it.
- I can use “and” to join simple sentences/ideas.
- I can connect ideas in my writing i.e. repeating names or pronouns.
- I can choose words to match what I am writing about. i.e. topic words.

**Vocabulary, grammar and punctuation**

- I can leave spaces between words.
- I know what a letter is.
- I know what a capital letter is.
- I know what a full stop is.
- I can write my first name correctly using a capital letter.
- I can write my surname correctly using a capital letter.
- I know what a word is.
- I know what a sentence is.

I know what punctuation is.
I can use capital letters for "I" and for proper nouns.
I can use "and" to join phrases and clauses.
I am beginning to use a full stop to show the end of a sentence.
I know what singular means.
I know what plural means.
I can identify a question mark.
I can identify an exclamation mark.
I am beginning to add exclamation and question marks to my writing.
I can use some full stops accurately.

**Total Statements = 50**

**85% = 43 completed statements.**