

Year 2 Writing Checklist

Composition	Pupils can write a simple, coherent narrative about their own and others' experiences (real and fictional), after discussion with their teacher: writing about real events, recording these simply and clearly	
Grammar and Punctuation	demarcating sentences with:	capital letters and full stops
	and with use of:	question marks exclamation marks commas in a list
	using present and past tense mostly correctly and consistently	
	using co-ordination (or/and/but)	
	using some subordination (when/if/that/because)	
Transcription	segmenting spoken words into phonemes and representing these by graphemes, spelling many of these words correctly and making phonically-plausible attempts at others	
	spelling many ks1 common exception words	
	writing capital letters and digits of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and to lower-case letters	
	using spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters	