



Birches First School Writing Target Sheet

Reach the top of the Birches Learning Castle!

Stage
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KPI

6. I can spell segmenting spoken words into phonemes and representing these by graphemes.

5. I can write from memory simple sentences dictated by my teacher that include the GPCs, tricky words and punctuation learnt so far.

4. I can add suffixes to spell longer words (-ment, -ness, -ful, -less, -ly).

3. I can spell 10 words with contractions (it's, can't, won't).

2. I can use the possessive apostrophe for a singular person (e.g. The girl's book.).

1. I can spell some homophones and near homophones.

Super Speller



10. I can use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters.

9. I can write capital and lower-case letters of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another.

8. I can understand which letters need to be joined in my writing.

7. I can form lower-case letters of the correct size, relative to one another.

Handwriting Hero



17. I can evaluate my writing with the teacher and other pupils.

16. I can read aloud what I have written with appropriate voice to make the meaning clear.

15. I can reread and check my writing for sense, spelling, grammar and punctuation.

14. I can draft a piece of writing by writing down my ideas and key words including new vocabulary.

13. I can plan and say out loud what I am going to write.

12. I can organise my writing for different purposes.

11. I can write for different purposes including narratives about personal experiences (real and fictional), real events and poetry.

Big Writer



23. I can use or, and, but (co-ordination) and when, if, that, because (subordination).

22. I can use the past and present tenses correctly.

21. I can use apostrophes for contraction words and for possession (singular).

20. I can use full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks and commas for a list.

19. I can use sentences with different forms: statement, question, exclamation, command.

18. I can use expanded noun phrases to describe people, objects and settings.

Grammar Giants



I understand, use and respond to the following words...

noun,
noun phrase,
statement,
question,
exclamation,
command,
adjective,
verb,
suffix,
adverb,
tense (past, present)
apostrophe,
comma.

Terminology



Name: _____ D.O.B / / .

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