

The Year 2 Writer

A Year 2 Writer should :

- Write narratives about personal experiences and those of others, both real and fictional.
- Write for different purposes, including real events.
- Plan and discuss the content of writing and record my ideas.
- Use expanded noun phrases.
- Use capital letters for names of people, places, days of the week and the personal pronoun 'I'.
- Use question marks and exclamation marks correctly.
- Use commas to separate items in a list.
- Segment spoken words into phonemes and record these as graphemes.
- Spell words with alternative spellings, including a few common homophones.
- Spell longer words using suffixes such as 'ment', 'ness', 'ful', 'less', 'ly'.
- Form lower-case letters of the correct size relative to one another.
- Show that I know which letters are best left unjoined.
- Use capital letters and digits of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and to lower case letters.
- Use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters