| Year 4 Working Towards (WTS) | | | |
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| The pupil can, after discussion with the teacher and in some cases independently: | | | |
| I can write in the correct tense accurately. | | | |
| I can write sentences accurately. | capital letters | | |
| | full stops | | |
| | commas in lists | | |
| | fronted adverbials sometimes | | |
| I can use apostrophes for singular possession, most of the time. | | | |
| I can use apostrophes where letters are missing, most of the time. | | | |
| In narrative writing, I can create: | settings | | |
| | characters | | |
| | plot | | |
| I can spell some words from the Year 3/4 word list | | | |
| My handwriting can be read and is sometimes joined. | | | |
| Year 4 Wo | rking At (FXS) | | |
| Year 4 Working At (EXS) In independent writing and writing that stems from classroom themed work: | | | |
| I can use some expanded noun phrases to describe and specify. | | | |
| I can write in the correct tense most of the time. | | | |
| I can punctuate most sentences accurately (ABC, fullstops, !, ?). | | | |
| | time (comma for reporting clause and inverted | | |
| commas). | , , , , , | | |
| I can use Year 4 punctuation mostly correctly: | apostrophes for singular and plural possession | | |
| | comma after fronted adverbial | | |
| I can use a range of sentences structures: | prepositional phrases | | |
| | fronted adverbials | | |
| | wider range of conjunctions | | |
| I can vary pronouns and nouns across sentences to aid cohesion and avoid repetition. | | | |
| I can develop detail in: | settings | | |
| | characters | | |
| | plot | | |
| I can extend paragraphs and organise my ideas around a theme. | | | |
| I can improve writing by evaluating and editing own and others writing. | | | |
| I can spell many words from the Year 3/4 word list. | | | |
| I can apply Year 3/4 spelling rules (-es changing y to an i, prefixes un-, mis-, in-) | | | |
| My handwriting is legible and joined with consistent letter formation. | | | |

| Year 4 Working At Greater Depth (GDS) In independent writing and writing that stems from classroom themed work: | | | | |
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| I can use modifiers (adjectives, adverbs, phrases or clauses) to expand noun phrases | | | | |
| I can use appropriate and accurate tenses most of the time. | | | | |
| I can punctuate speech correctly most of the time (comma for reporting clause, inverted | | | | |
| commas and punctuation inside the inverted commas). | | | | |
| My writing has clear purpose and content included to engage and inform the reader | | | | |
| I can choose specific vocabulary and sentence structure support the reader in understanding | | | | |
| the writing. | | | | |
| I can spell most words from the Year 3/4 word list. | | | | |
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