



Key Assessment Criteria

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Transcription <u>Spelling</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can convert nouns or adjectives into verbs by adding a suffix. ✓ I can distinguish between homophones and other words which are often confused. ✓ I can spell the commonly mis-spelt words from the yr 5/6 wordlist. ✓ I understand that the spelling of some words need to be learnt specifically. ✓ I can use any dictionary or thesaurus. ✓ I can use a range of spelling strategies. <u>Handwriting</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can choose the style of handwriting to use when given a choice. ✓ I can choose the handwriting that is best suited for a specific task. 	Composition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can identify the audience for and purpose of the writing. ✓ I can choose the appropriate form and register for the audience and purpose of the writing. ✓ I use grammatical structures and features and choose vocabulary appropriate to the audience, purpose and degree of formality to make meaning clear and create effect. ✓ I use a range of sentence starters to create specific effects. ✓ I can use developed noun phrases to add detail to sentences. ✓ I use the passive voice to present information with a different emphasis. ✓ I use commas to mark phrases and clauses. ✓ I can sustain and develop ideas logically in narrative and non-narrative writing. ✓ I can use character, dialogue and action to advance events in narrative writing. ✓ I can summarise a text, conveying key information in writing. 	Grammar <u>Sentence structure</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can use the passive voice. ✓ I vary sentence structure depending whether formal or informal. <u>Text structure</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can use a variety of organisational and presentational devices correct to the text type. ✓ I write in paragraphs which can clearly signal a change in subject, time, place or event. <u>Punctuation</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I can use the semi-colon, colon and dash. ✓ I can use the colon to introduce a list and semi-colon within lists. ✓ I can use a hyphen to avoid ambiguity.

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