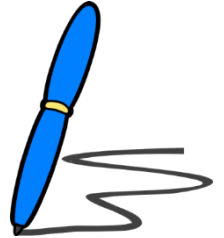


Writing: Non-negotiables for Reception

Writing is an essential skill which will benefit every pupil throughout their life. It is a critical skill which equips children with the ability to communicate in numerous ways. The Writing non-negotiables help build children's essential base platform for the progression in writing.



The following non-negotiables will be taught over the year and are the expectations for **most** children by the end of Reception.

Sentence Level:

- Write simple sentences, clauses or phrases which can be read by themselves and others

Punctuation:

- Use capital letters for own name
- Recognise full stops

Spelling:

Write the corresponding graphemes up to and including phase 4 phonemes

Handwriting:

- Use correct grip and posture when writing