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| A close up of a sign  Description automatically generated Writing Overview  Year 1 | | | |
| **Writing** | | | |
| **Transcription** | **Handwriting** | **Composition** | **Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation** |
| * + spell words containing each of the 40+ phonemes already taught   + common exception words   + the days of the week   + naming the letters of the alphabet in order   + using letter names to distinguish between alternative spellings of the same sound   + using the spelling rule for adding –s or –es as the plural marker for nouns and the third person singular marker for verbs   + using the prefix un–   + using –ing, –ed, –er and –est where no change is needed in the spelling of root words [for example, helping, helped, helper, eating, quicker, quickest] * apply simple spelling rules and guidance, as listed in [English appendix 1](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/239784/English_Appendix_1_-_Spelling.pdf) * write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far | * sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly * begin to form lower-case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place * form capital letters * form digits 0-9 * understand which letters belong to which handwriting ‘families’ (ie letters that are formed in similar ways) and to practise these | * write sentences by:   + saying out loud what they are going to write about   + composing a sentence orally before writing it   + sequencing sentences to form short narratives   + re-reading what they have written to check that it makes sense * discuss what they have written with the teacher or other pupils * read their writing aloud, clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher | * develop their understanding of the concepts set out in [English appendix 2](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/335190/English_Appendix_2_-_Vocabulary_grammar_and_punctuation.pdf) by:   + leaving spaces between words   + joining words and joining clauses using ‘and’   + beginning to punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark   + using a capital letter for names of people, places, the days of the week, and the personal pronoun ‘I’   + learning the grammar for year 1 in [English appendix 2](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/335190/English_Appendix_2_-_Vocabulary_grammar_and_punctuation.pdf) * use the grammatical terminology in English [English appendix 2](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/335190/English_Appendix_2_-_Vocabulary_grammar_and_punctuation.pdf) in discussing their writing |