

TCAT Primary Writing Moderation

<u>Year 4</u>



Name:	Class:							
	WORKING TOWARDS the e	xpected st	tandard					
The pupil can write for a range	of purposes and audiences.							
Uses the full range of punctuation taught at KS1 and Year 3 mostly correctly and is beginning to:	Use inverted commas to mark speech							
Beginning to create a narrative with a clear structure, plot and setting								
Some use of effective and appropriate vocabulary chosen								
Use pronouns to limit repetition								
Use different verb forms mostly accurately								
Use commas for lists								
Use apostrophes for contraction								
Beginning to compose sentences using a wider range of structures, linked to the LKS2 grammar objectives. E.g. sentences of more than one clause.								
Spells some words from the Year 3 / 4 statutory word list accurately								
Beginning to spell some words with prefixes and suffixes from the LKS2 spelling curriculum accurately								
Handwriting is developing in size and consistency and there is evidence of								
understanding of diagonal and	l horizontal strokes needed for joining	<u> </u>						
	WORKING AT the expected st	andard (M	EETING)					
The pupil can write for different purposes (narrative and non-narrative) with a greater understanding of the level of formality required.								
can use paragraphs although not always accurate								
describing settings and characters using a range of literary features. E.g. similes, metaphors and appropriate vocabulary.								
Use a variety of different sentence structures, including the use of fronted adverbials and sentences with more than one clause and punctuate appropriately with the use of commas.								
Appropriately use nouns and pronouns within and across sentences to support cohesion and avoid repetition. Correct use of tense.								
Use paragraphs correctly								
Accurately use punctuation from KS1 and Year 3, as well as:	Inverted commas and other relevant punctuation to indicate speech							
	Apostrophes to mark plural possession							
	Commas after fronted adverbials							
use dialogue in narrative to create effect								
include an interesting opening or conclusion appropriate to the genre								
Use noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases. E.g. The strict maths teacher with no hair.								
spelling most words correctly* (year 3 and 4)								
producing legible joined handwriting								
Proof-read to check for errors in spelling and punctuation and suggest improvements to their own work and that of their peers.								

WORKING IN GREATER DEPTH within the expected standard (ABOVE)									
The pupil can write for different purposes selecting appropriate level of formality.									
Use the full range of punctuation taught at key stage 1 and LKS2 accurately									
Use dialogue in order to develop the character and plot									
Use a range of appropriate interesting adjectives, similes and metaphors									
Can move subordinate clauses within a sentence for effect eg. at the front of a sentence, embedded or end									
Use nouns, pronouns and tenses accurately and consistently throughout									
Spell the common exception words taught from the 3/4 list and the rules from the Year 3 curriculum accurately.									
Proof-read to check for errors in spelling, punctuation and suggest improvements to their own work and that of their peers.									
making some correct use of: commas for clarity									
Writing almost always shows fluent, joined letters.									