Working at the Expected Standard				
Vocabulary, grammar and punctuation	<u>Composition</u>	<u>Spelling</u>	<u>Handwriting</u>	
*Demarcate most sentences with a capital letters and full stops.	*Write simple coherent narratives about personal experiences (real and fictional).	*To spell many Year 1 and 2 common exception words correctly.	Form capital and lower-case letters of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another.	
*Can use question marks correctly in sentences when required.	*Write about real events recording them simply and clearly.	*To segment spoken words into phonemes and represent these by graphemes, spelling many correctly.	*Use spacing between words which reflect the size of the letters.	
*Use past tense mostly correctly and consistently.	Develop stamina for writing in order to write at length.			
*Use present tense mostly correctly and consistently.	To use text type features typical of the genre eg sub headings, numbered instructions.			
*Say, punctuate simple and compound sentences using the joining words and, but, so and or (co-ordination)	To begin to proofread to check for errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation.			
*Use subordination for time using when, before and after eg We went out to play when we had finished our lunch. When we finished our lunch, we went out to play.				
*Use subordination for reason using because and if eg I put my coat on because it was raining. Because it was raining, I put on my coat.				
*Use the subordinating conjunction 'that' in a sentence eq I hope that it doesn't rain on sports day.				
Use commas to separate items in a list				
Generate and use effectively noun phrases eg the blue butterfly.				

<u>Deeper learner</u>				
*Write effectively and coherently for different purposes, drawing on their reading to inform the vocabulary and grammar in their writing.		*Use punctuation taught at Key Stage One (including apostrophes for possession and contracted words)		
*Make simple additions, revisions and proof reading corrections to their own writing.		*Spell most year 1 and 2 common exception words correctly.		
*Add suffixes to spell most words correctly in their writing (-less, -ful, -ment,- ly, -ness)		*Starting to use diagonal and horizontal strokes to join some letters.		