

Year 3 Writing

**To be WORKING all of the statements must be secure (green)**

Can punctuate some sequences of sentences accurately with full stops and question marks are used correctly.

Can produce work which is organised and clear (e.g. simple opening and ending).

Can make sure that most of a piece of writing makes sense.

**Need to be working securely within this band and have achieved ALL RED statements to be SECURE.**

Is beginning to use paragraphs.

Can usually use correct grammatical structures in sentences (nouns and verbs agree generally).

Can use a wider range of punctuation, almost always accurately:

capital letters

commas in a list

exclamation mark

Can spell accurately most of the Year 3/4 words in the N.C. Appendix 1.

Can write neatly and legibly.

Can extend sentences using a wider range of conjunctions to clarify relationships between points and ideas.

**Need 2 Statements from below and ALL of the above (Yellow and Red) to be SECURE+**

Can link and relate events, including past, present and future, sensibly, (afterwards, before, also, after a while, eventually...).

Can write neatly, legibly and accurately, mainly in a joined style.

Can develop and extend ideas logically in sequenced sentences.

Can describe characters and settings, feelings and/or emotions.

Can use inverted commas.

Can use an apostrophe for contraction.