

Handwriting Expectations

Year 1	 I form lower case letters correctly sized in relation to each other. I am beginning to use diagonal and horizontal strokes that I need to help to join letters together. I form capital letters. I write the digits 0-9 correctly.
Year 2	 I form lower case letters correctly sized in relation to each other. I am beginning to use diagonal and horizontal strokes that I need to help to join letters together. I write capital letters and digits the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and lower case letters.
Year 3	 I form lower case letters correctly sized in relation to each other. I am beginning to use diagonal and horizontal strokes that I need to help to join letters together. I write capital letters and digits the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and lower case letters.
Year 4	 I use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and understand which letters do not join when adjacent. My handwriting is easy to read and consistent.
Year 5	 I can write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed by joining letters appropriately.
Year 6	 I can write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed by joining letters appropriately and selecting the writing implement best suited for the task.