

AAt Blessed Sacrament a Year 2 writer:-



- Splits spoken words up into phonemes to help when spelling words.
- Spells year 1 and 2 common exception words correctly.
- Spelling words in their contracted form. (didn't, I'll)
- Adds suffixes to spell some words correctly. – ful, ness, ment, less, ly.
- Applies the taught spelling rules in independent writing.
- Can write sentences the teacher says spelling words I have been taught correctly.



Handwriting

- Uses diagonal and horizontal strokes to join letters some of the time.
- Writes capital letters and digits the correct size and shape.
- Uses spaces between words that match the size of the letters.



Composition

- Uses different sentence types. Statements, commands, exclamations and questions.
- Uses some expanded noun phrases to describe and specify.
- Uses present and past tense correctly most of the time.
- Read what they have written to check it makes sense.
- Talk about what they have written with their teacher.
- Read aloud their writing to others.
- Plan, edit and redraft writing finding some errors independently.



Vocabulary, grammar and punctuation

- Uses capital letters and full stops correctly in all sentences.
- Uses question marks and exclamation marks.
- Uses co-ordinating connectives. (and, or, but)
- Uses subordinating connectives. (because, if, that, when)

