

Expected Year 4

Writing

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Conjunction-tastic!	
F	for
A	and
N	nor
B	but
O	or
Y	yet
S	so

Punctuation Power!	
A	Capital letters for the start of sentences, names and places.
.	A full stop at the end of a sentence.
!	Exclamation marks for exclamations or surprise.
?	Question marks for questions.
'	Apostrophes for showing something belongs to someone.
,	Commas to separate items on a list.
“ ”	Inverted commas around speech.

Story Writing: You should be able to create a story that has at least two characters, a well described setting and a good plot with a beginning, middle and end.

Paragraphs, paragraphs, paragraphs!	Can you find a word quickly in the dictionary?
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Which Is Witch? Know Your Homophones	
there/their/they're	
are/our	here/hear
your/you're	which/witch
aloud/allowed	two/too/to
whether/weather	
aloud/allowed	

Spellings... I need to know almost all of these:					
accident	centre	experience	important	ordinary	reign
accidentally	century	experiment	interest	particular	remember
actual	certain	extreme	island	peculiar	sentence
actually	circle	famous	knowledge	perhaps	separate
address	complete	favourite	learn	popular	special
although	consider	February	length	position	straight
answer	continue	forwards	library	possess	strange
appear	decide	fruit	material	possession	strength
arrive	describe	grammar	medicine	possible	suppose
believe	different	group	mention	potatoes	surprise
bicycle	difficult	guard	minute	pressure	therefore
breath	disappear	guide	natural	probably	though
breathe	early	heard	naughty	promise	thought
build	earth	heart	notice	purpose	through
busy	eight	height	occasion	quarter	various
business	eighth	history	occasionally	question	weight
calendar	enough	imagine	often	recent	woman
caught	exercise	increase	opposite	regular	women

Prefixes	Suffixes
Re- = again (review, rewind, reboot)	-er = person that does something (reader, teacher, driver)
Super- = above (superman, superstar, supermarket)	-ify = to make (magnify, simplify)
Auto- = self or own (autobiography, autograph)	-al = like something (herbal, tribal, thermal)

Know your Text Types
Recount
Telling what happened in order of time.
Non-Chronological Report
All about a subject split into sections/ areas.
Persuasion
Showing all the good points of one side of an argument.
Explanation
Telling how something works.
Discussion
Two equal sides on an argument. Both sides are shown.
Instructions
Numbered steps. Includes imperative verbs.