

# MY Y1 WRITING TARGETS

**I CAN SPELL WORDS  
CONTAINING EACH OF  
THE 40+ PHONEMES TAUGHT**

**I CAN SPELL COMMON  
EXCEPTION WORDS**

**I CAN SPELL THE  
DAYS OF THE WEEK**

**I CAN NAME THE LETTERS OF  
THE ALPHABET IN ORDER**

**I CAN USE LETTER NAMES  
TO PICK OUT DIFFERENT  
SPELLINGS OF THE SAME SOUND**

**I CAN UNDERSTAND AND USE  
THE SELLING RULE FOR -S OR -ES**

**I CAN USE THE PREFIX UN-**

**I CAN USE THE SUFFIXES  
-ING, -ED, -ER AND -EST**

**I CAN WRITE FROM MEMORY  
SIMPLE SENTENCES READ  
OUT BY MY TEACHER**

**TRANSCRIPTION**

**I CAN SIT AND HOLD  
A PENCIL COMFORTABLY  
AND CORRECTLY**

**I CAN BEGIN TO FORM  
LOWER-CASE LETTERS**

**I CAN FORM  
CAPITAL LETTERS**

**I CAN FORM  
DIGITS 0-9**

**HANDWRITING**

**I CAN WRITE SENTENCES BY  
SAYING OUT LOUD WHAT  
I WANT TO WRITE ABOUT**

**I CAN CREATE A SENTENCE  
ORALLY BEFORE WRITING IT**

**I CAN PUT SENTENCES IN  
ORDER TO CREATE A STORY**

**I CAN READ MY WORK TO  
MAKE SURE IT MAKES SENSE**

**I CAN TALK TO MY TEACHER OR A  
FRIEND ABOUT WHAT I HAVE  
WRITTEN**

**I CAN READ MY WRITING  
OUT LOUD TO MY TEACHER  
AND FRIENDS**

**COMPOSITION**

**I CAN LEAVE SPACE  
BETWEEN WORDS**

**I CAN JOIN WORDS USING  
AND**

**I CAN BEGIN TO USE CAPITAL  
LETTERS AND FULL STOPS**

**I CAN BEGIN TO USE QUESTION  
MARKS OR EXCLAMATION MARKS**

**I CAN USE A CAPITAL LETTER  
FOR NAMES OF PEOPLE, PLACES  
THE DAYS OF THE WEEK AND I**

**VOCABULARY,  
GRAMMAR AND  
PUNCTUATION**