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Year 4 Writing Assessment

Name:	

Working at the expected standard								
The pupil can write for a range of purposes and								
audiences. Text types:								
 To confidently use a range of: conjunctions adverbs, to modify verbs 								
- prepositions.								
To use a variety of fronted adverbials with commas used after them.								
 To use commas after subordinate clauses at the beginning of sentences 								
 Using noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns, and preposition phrases 								
 Use apostrophes accurately (contraction / basic possession) 								
 Knowing the grammatical difference between plural and possessive -s and use apostrophes to mark plural possession. 								
Use the correct tense and person								
 Use inverted commas and other punctuation (including commas to mark reporting clauses in direct speech, e.g Tom said, "Make sure you teach commas!") to punctuate direct speech with confidence. 								
Use paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme								
 Use a variety of pronouns to avoid repetition. 								
 To use all previously taught punctuation with accuracy. 								
 Spelling most words correctly (year 3 & 4 statutory list) and all previously taught spellings 								
Produces fluent, legible, joined handwriting								

To be used in conjunction with 'English Assessment Appendix' (grammar and expectation documents).

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	Year	4	Writing	Assessment
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Working at greater depth within the expected standard								
the pupil can write for a range of purposes and								
audiences. Text types:								
To link clauses consistently in sentences								
 Using a wider range of cohesive devices, including adverbials within and across paragraphs, deliberately to avoid unnecessary repetition and add variety 								
 To begin to demonstrate an awareness of formality as appropriate to audience and purpose 								
 To begin to use punctuation to show control and awareness of the reader (the majority of which should be correct, e.g. commas after fronted adverbials) 								
 Spelling almost all words correctly (year 3 & 4 statutory list) and all previously taught spellings 								