

## Overview of objectives: Writing – Year 1

| Use plural noun suffixes -s and -es  |
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| Add suffixes to verbs where no change is needed to the root  |
| Change the meaning of verbs and adjectives by adding the prefix un-                                      |
| Combine words to make sentences  |
| Leave spaces between words   |
| Join words and clauses using <i>and</i>  |
| Punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark            |
| Use a capital letter for names of people, places, the days of the week and the personal pronoun <i>I</i> |
| Use simple description   |
| Spell words containing phonemes already taught   |
| Spell common exception words   |
| Make phonically plausible attempts to spell words that have not yet been learnt                          |

| Say out loud what is going to be written about                                     |
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| Compose a sentence orally before writing it  |
| Sequence sentences to form short narratives  |
| Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense                        |
| Discuss what has been written with the teacher or other pupils                     |
| Read aloud their writing clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher |