## Sprowston Junior Writing Progression Map (Phonics, spelling and handwriting)


-the/r/sound spelt
'wr' (e.g. write,
written);

- the $/ 1 /$ or/al/sound spelt-le(e.g.little, middle) orspelt-el (e.g. camel, tunnel) or spelt -al (e.g. metal, hospital) or spelt-il (e.g. fossil, nostril);
- the/aI/sound spelt $-y$ (e.g. cry, fly, July);
- adding-es to nouns and verbs ending in $-y$ where the ' $y$ ' is changed to ' i ' before the -es (e.g. flies, tries, carries);
- adding -ed, -ing,-er and -est to a root word ending in -y (e.g. skiing, replied) and exceptions to the and exc
rules;
- adding theendings -ing, -ed, -er, -est and -y to words ending in -e with a consonant before (including exceptions);
- adding -ing,-ed, -er , -est and -y to words of one syllable ending in a single consonant letter after asingle vowel letter (including


|  |  | - 'ie' (e.g. lie, dried); <br> - 'ie’(e.g. chief, field); <br> - 'igh'(e.g. bright,right); <br> - 'or' (e.g. short, morning); <br> - 'ore' (e.g. before, shore); <br> - 'aw' (e.g. yawn, crawl); <br> - 'au' (e.g. author, haunt); <br> - 'air’ (e.g. hair, chair); <br> - 'ear' (e.g. beard, near, year); <br> - 'ear' (e.g. bear, pear, wear); <br> - 'are' (e.g. bare, dare, scared); <br> - spelling words ending with -y (e.g. funny, party, family); <br> - spelling new consonants 'ph'and 'wh' (e.g. dolphin, alphabet, wheel, while); <br> - using ' $k$ ' for the $/ \mathrm{k}$ / sound (e.g. sketch, kit, skin). |  |  |  |  |  |
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| $\begin{aligned} & =\text { 젓 } \\ & \text { o } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | To write some irregular common words. | Tospellall Y1 common exception words correctly.* <br> To spell days of the week correctly. | To spell most Y1 and Y2 common exception words correctly. | To spell many of the Y3 and Y 4 statutory spelling words correctly. | To spell all of the Y3 and Y4 statutory spelling words correctly. | To spell many of the Y5 and Y 6 statutory spelling words correctly. | To spell all of the Y 5 and Y 6 statutory spelling words correctly. |


| O On 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  | To use -s and -es to form regular plurals correctly. <br> To use the prefix 'un-' accurately. <br> To successfully add the suffixes -ing, -ed, -er and -est to root words where no change is needed in the spelling of the root words (e.g. helped, quickest). | To add suffixes to spell most words correctly in their writing, e.g. -ment, -ness, ful, -less, ly. | To spell most words with the prefixes dis-, mis-, <br> bi-, re- and de- correctly (e.g. disobey, mistreat, bicycle, reapply, defuse). <br> To spell most words with the suffix -ly with no change to the root word; root words that end in 'le', 'al' or 'ic' and the exceptions to the rules. <br> To spell words with added suffixes beginning with a vowel (-er/-ed/- ing) to words with more than one syllable (unstressedlastsyllable, e.g. limiting offering). <br> To spell words with added suffixes beginning with a vowel (-er/-ed/- en/-ing) to syllable (stressed last syllable, e.g. forgotten beginning). | Tocorrectly spell most words with the prefixes in, il-, im-, ir-, sub-, super-, anti-, auto-, inter-, ex- and non- (e.g. incorrect, illegal, impossible, irrelevant, substandard, superhero, autograph, antisocial, intercity, exchange, nonsense). <br> To form nouns with the suffix-ation (e.g. information, adoration, sensation, preparation, admiration). <br> To spell words with the suffix -ous with no change to root words, no definitive root word, words ending in ' $y$ ', 'our' or 'e' and the exceptions to the rule (e.g. joyous, fabulous, mysterious, rigorous, famous, advantageous). | To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ate (e.g. activate, motivate communicate). <br> To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ise (e.g criticise, advertise, capitalise). <br> To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ify (e.g. signify, falsify, glorify). <br> To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -en (e.g blacken, brighten, flatten). | Touse their knowledge of <br> adjectives ending in -ant to spell nouns ending in -ance/-ancy (e.g. observant, observance, expectant, hesitant, hesitancy, tolerant, tolerance, substance) <br> To use their knowledge of adjectives ending in -ent to spell nouns ending in-ence/-ency (e.g. innocent, innocence, decent, decency, frequent, frequency, confident, confidence, obedient, obedience, independent). <br> To spell words by adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in -fer (e.g. referring, referred, referral, preferring, preferred, transferring transferred, reference, referee, preference, transference). |
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| 年 |  | To spell simple compound words (e.g. dustbin, football). <br> To read words that they have spelt. <br> To take part in the process of segmenting spoken words into phonemes before choosing graphemes to represent those | To spell more words with contracted forms, e.g. can't, didn't, hasn't, couldn't, it's, I'll. <br> To learn the possessive singular apostrophe (e.g. the girl's book). <br> To write, from memory, simple sentences dictated by the teacher | To spell some more complex homophones and near-homophones, including here/hear, brake/break and mail/ male. <br> To use the first two or three letters of a word to checkits spellingina dictionary. | To spell words that use the possessive apostrophe withplural words, including irregular plurals (e.g. girls', boys', babies', children's, men's, mice's). <br> Touse theirspelling knowledge to use a dictionary more efficiently. | To spell complex homophones and nearhomophones, including who's/whose and stationary/stationery. <br> Touse the first three or four letters of a wordto check spelling, meaning or both of these in a dictionary. | To spell homophones and near homophones that include nouns that end in -ce/-cy and verbs that end in se/-sy (e.g. practice/ practise, licence/license, advice/advise). <br> To spell words that contain hyphens (e.g. coordinate, re-enter, cooperate, co-own). |



|  | EYFS ( $\underset{\substack{(30-50 \mathrm{mths} \\ \text { ELGs) }}}{ }$ | KS1 |  | KS2 |  |  |  |
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|  | 30-50 months 40 - 60 months Early Learning Goals | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
|  | To sometimes give meaning to marks as they draw and paint. <br> Torealise toolscanbe used for a purpose. <br> To draw lines and circles using gross motor movements. <br> Touseone-handed tools and equipment, e.g. makes snips in paper with child scissors. <br> Tohold a pencil between thumb and two fingers, no longer using whole-hand grasp. <br> To hold a pencil near pointbetween firsttwo fingers and thumb, and usesit with good control. <br> To copy some letters, e.g. lettersfrom their name. <br> To give meaning to marks they make as they draw, write and paint. <br> To use some clearly identifiableletters to communicate meaning, representing some sounds correctly and in sequence. | To write lower case and capital letters in the correctdirection, starting and finishing in the right place with a good level of consistency. <br> To sit correctly at a table, holding apencil comfortably and correctly. <br> To form digits $0-9$. <br> To understand which letters belong to which handwriting 'families' (i.e. letters that are formed in similar ways) and to practise these. | To write capital letters and digits of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and to lower case letters. <br> To form lower case letters of the correct size, relative to one another. <br> To use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters. | To use a neat, joined handwriting style with increasing accuracy and speed. | To increase the legibility, consistency and quality of their handwriting [e.g by ensuring that the downstrokes of letters are parallel and equidistant; that lines of writing are spaced sufficiently so that the ascenders and descenders of letters do not touch]. | Toincreasethespeed of their handwriting so that problems with forming letters do not get in the way of writing down what they want to say. <br> Tobeclearabout what standard of handwriting is appropriate for a particular task, e.g. quick notes or a final handwritten version. | To write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed by: <br> -choosing which shape of a letter to use when given choices and deciding whether or not to join specific letters; <br> - choosing the writing implement that is best suited for a task. |


|  | To show a preference for a dominant hand. <br> To begin to use anticlockwise movement and retrace vertical lines. <br> To begin to form recognisable letters. <br> To use a pencil and hold it effectively to form recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed. <br> To show good control and co-ordination in large and small movements. <br> To move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space. <br> To handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing. <br> To write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others. |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | To begin to use the diagonal and horizontal strokesneededtojoin letters. | To continue to use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and to understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left unjoined. | To confidently use diagonal and horizontal joining strokes throughout their independent writing to increase fluency. | To confidently use diagonal and horizontal joining strokes throughout their independent writing in a legible, fluent and speedy way. | Torecognise whentouse an unjoined style (e.g. for labelling a diagram or data, writing an email address or for algebra) and capital letters (e.g. for filling in a form). |

