

Implementation of Writing lessons at St Francis Catholic Primary School

What would we expect to see in Writing lessons in the school?

* Children will be working on writing objectives outlined in the National Curriculum.
* Lessons follow the planning sequence from the Literacy Tree and are adapted using the 7 stages of writing.
* Each unit begins with a ‘hook’ to engage learners.
* Each lesson begins with a Flashback and Grammar Starter.
* Teaching will follow the I, We, You sequence to model and scaffold writing.
* Feedback will be given in the moment and misconceptions will be identified and noted on the feedback and marking sheets to be followed up next lesson.
* A number of written tasks based on various text types will be written based on the novel.
* Features of the text types will be explored and taught explicitly.

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| Sequence of a Writing Lesson |
| Flashback |
| Grammar starter  |
| Teacher input |
| I and We – model and scaffold |
| You – Independent writing  |
| In the moment feedback and marking  |
| Mini-plenary (as necessary)  |