

Building blocks of writing

If the lower levels are missing then the rest of the tower will come crashing down!

I can write simple three letter words independently e.g. cat, mud

I can hear and match a sound to the correct letter

I can hear a word and break it down into individual sound (segment and blend)

I can make marks on paper – vertical, horizontal lines and circles

I can use the muscles in my hand and arm to make small more controlled movements

I can consistently use the same mark to represent something e.g myself, member of the family

I can build an accurate stable tower of 10 2cm blocks

I can thread beads/blocks onto a lace with a stiffened end

I can listen to sounds and repeat them myself

I can understand positional spatial language e.g. top, bottom, across

I can use the muscle in my hand and arm to make big movements

I can effectively grasp objects of varying sizes and develop an effective pincer grip

I can make marks using any part of my body

I can isolate and press firmly with my right and left index finger

I can tolerate different textures (touch and sensitivity)