

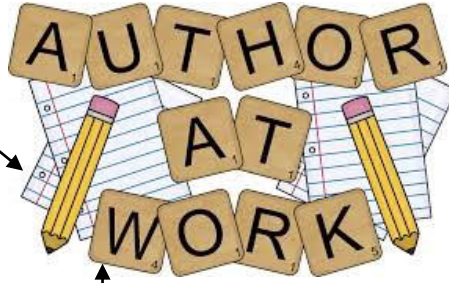
To ALWAYS be a Year 3 Writer ...

I can use inverted commas to punctuate speech

We need to remember:

2. To put speech marks around the words being said.
3. To start each piece of speech with a capital letter.
4. To punctuate the speech before we close it.
5. To start a new line for each new speaker.

Non-Negotiables:



I can use 'a' and 'an' correctly

a or an?

Does the next word begin with a vowel sound?
A E I O U?

YES! → an

NO! → a

I can use a wide range of conjunctions to extend my sentences (at the start or in the middle)

The farmer was angry **because** his sheep had escaped.

Because the sheep had escaped, the farmer was angry.

I will go to the park to meet my friends **when** I finish school.

When I finish school, I will go to the park to meet my friends.

The children went outside to play **although** it was raining.

Although it was raining, the children went outside to play.

I will get ten house points **if** I learn my spellings.

If I learn my spellings, then I will get ten house points.

I can use paragraphs to group ideas together

Change of **TIME**, **PLACE**, **NEW EVENT & SPEECH**

Remember to leave a line between paragraphs

Use // if you forget, so you can show me you understand where to use them

I can use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to show time and cause

Conjunctions

Cause & Effect Conjunctions

- Here are some common conjunctions that can be used to express cause and effect.

since	as a result	because of + noun phrase
because	therefore	due to + noun phrase
consequently	for this reason	so

Adverbs

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An adverb describes a verb, an adjective, or another adverb and answers the questions below.

How?
easily
happily
loudly
quietly
sadly
silently
slowly

How Often?
always
every day
frequently
never
often
seldom
sometimes

When?
after
before
early
now
since
soon
today
yesterday

Where?
away
everywhere
here
inside
near
outside
there

Prepositions

on	under	next to	in front of
behind	between	around	through

Always...

Use cursive handwriting to show you can use diagonal and horizontal joins.

Proof-read your work for spelling and punctuation errors.

