EYFS Literacy writing teaching and learning 2021-2022

**Statements taken from 2021 Development Matters.**

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| Autumn | Spring | Summer |
| * Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils. * Show a preference for a dominant hand. * Enjoy drawing freely. * Make marks on their picture to stand for their name * Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; writing ‘m’ for mummy. * Write some or all of their name. * Write some letters accurately. | * Develop the foundations of a handwriting style which is fast, accurate and efficient. * Form lower-case and capital letters correctly. * Spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s. | * Write short sentences with words with known sound-letter correspondences using a capital letter and full stop * Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense |