



Handwriting Assessment Tracker: Record Sheets

Name of child:	Date of birth:
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Year Group	Class name	Teacher name
Reception		
Year 1		
Year 2		
Year 3		
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6		

See reference document: www.letterjoin.co.uk/reference.pdf

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Area of development	Dates evident	
	Working towards	Secure
Early Years (non-statutory)		
Can demonstrate large muscle movements (Ref Doc page 1)		
Can demonstrate small muscle movements (Ref Doc page 2)		
Demonstrates some pencil control (attached page 1)		

Year 1		
Maintains a good sitting position (Ref Doc page 3)		
Holds a pencil correctly using a tripod grip (Ref Doc page 3)		
Starting to form lowercase letters with the correct orientation (attached page 2)		
Beginning to form capital letters (attached page 2)		
Beginning to form digits 0-9 (attached page 2)		
Separates words with spaces (Ref Doc page 4)		

Year 2: Reference document page 4		
Forms lower-case letters of the correct size in some of their writing		
Starting to use some of the diagonal and horizontal strokes to join letter		
Uses spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters		
Forms capital letters and digits of the correct size and orientation		

Area of development	Dates evident	
	Working towards	Secure
Year 3: Reference document page 4		
Consistently joins handwriting through independent writing		
Letters are consistently sized		
Letters are properly spaced		

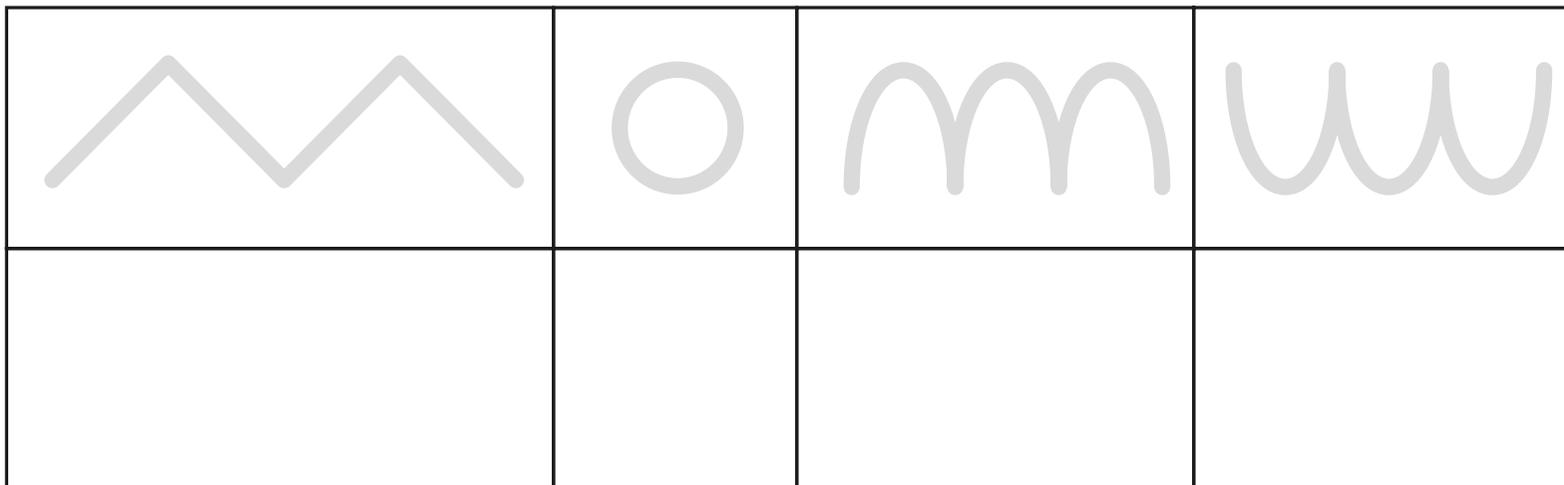
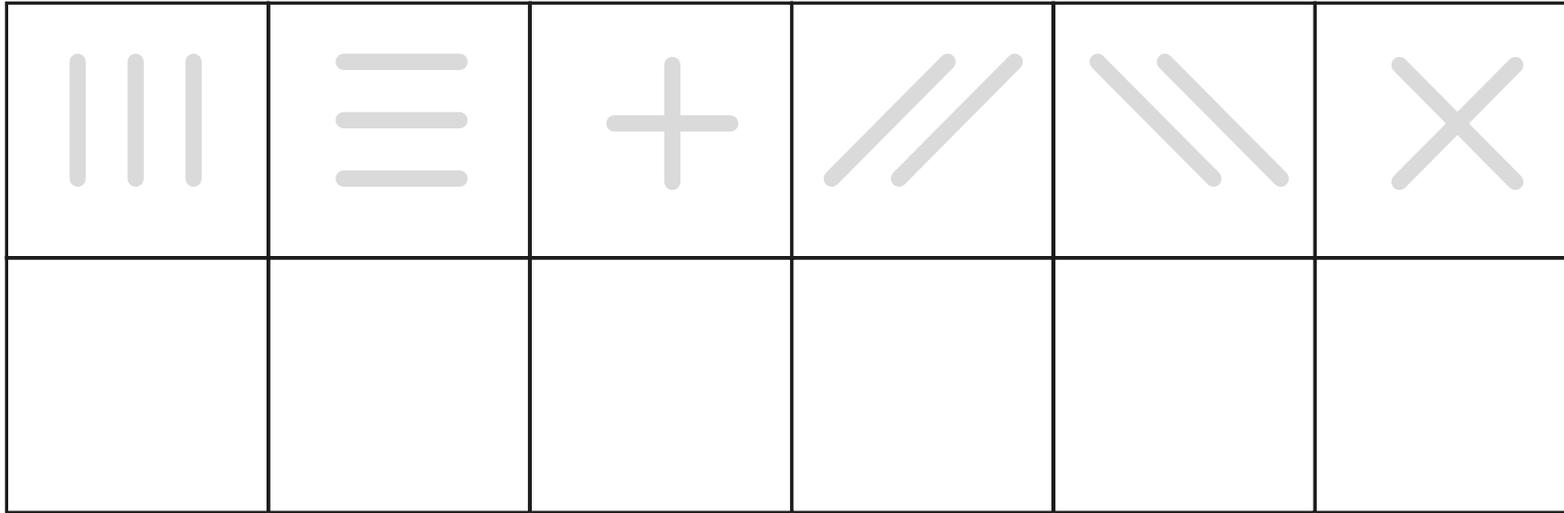
Year 4: Reference document page 4		
All handwriting is joined correctly, independently and fluently		
Clear ascending strokes		
Clear descending strokes		

Year 5		
Joined handwriting is legible when writing at speed (Ref Doc page 5)		
Can choose an un-joined style for certain tasks like labelling or form-filling (attached page 3)		

Year 6		
Joined handwriting is legible and fluent (Ref Doc page 5)		
Legibility in joined handwriting is maintained when writing at speed (Ref Doc page 5)		
Can choose the standard of handwriting appropriate for a particular task (attached page 4)		

Early Years Demonstrate some pencil control

Trace and copy pre-handwriting patterns.



Year 1 Forming characters

Write the small letters of the alphabet with one letter in each box.

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Write the capital letters of the alphabet with one letter in each box.

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Write the numbers 0 to 9 with one number in each box.

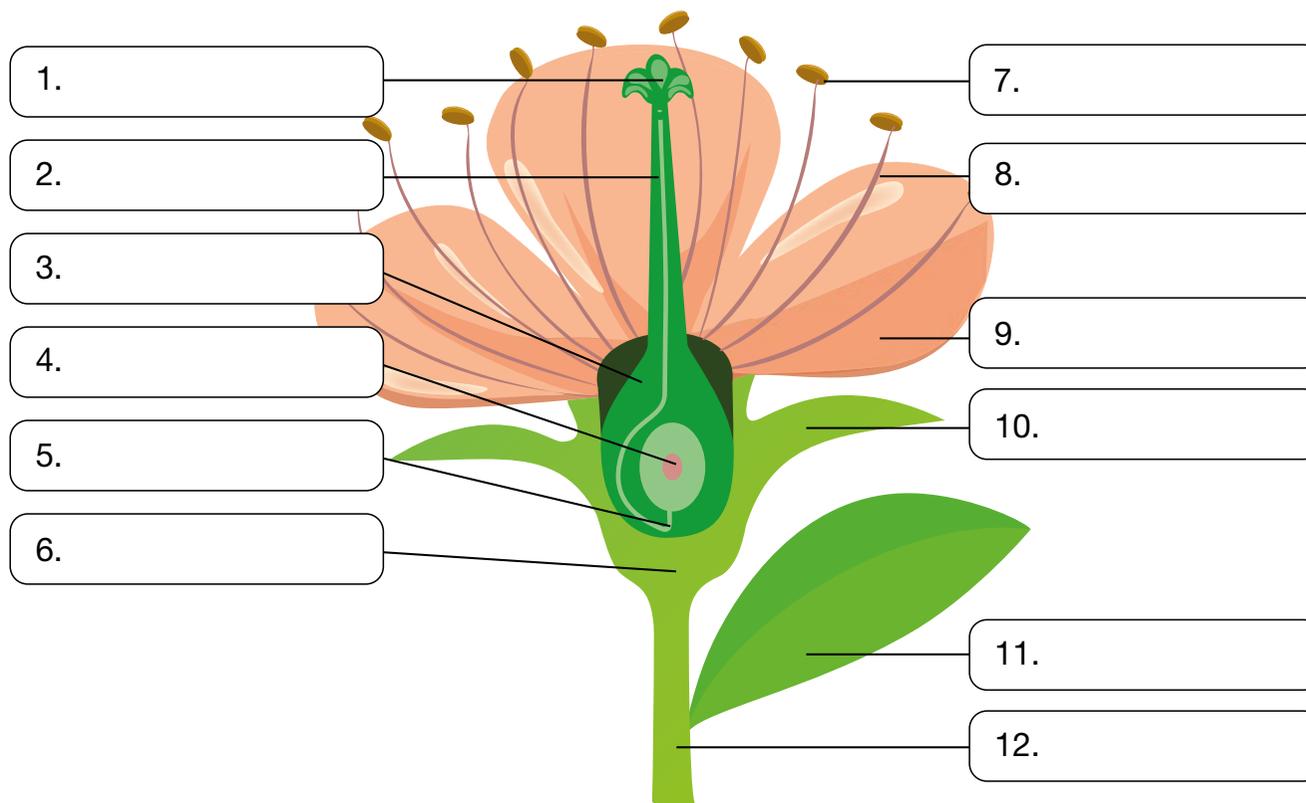
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Year 5 Label a diagram

Label the diagram using printed letters

Parts of a flower

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|----------------|-------------|
| 1. stigma | 7. anther |
| 2. style | 8. filament |
| 3. ovary | 9. petal |
| 4. ovule | 10. sepal |
| 5. pollen tube | 11. leaf |
| 6. receptacle | 12. stem |



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