

Writing

Languages Ladder



Level 9: I can communicate **ideas accurately** and in an appropriate style over a **range of familiar topics**.

Level 8: I can produce **formal and informal texts** in an appropriate style on familiar topics.

Level 7: I can write a **text**, eg a report, article or story, conveying **opinions and points of view**.

Level 6: I can write a text (with spelling that is generally accurate), giving and seeking **information and opinions**, using a **variety of structures**. I should be able to recognise the difference between past, present and future events and be familiar with simple forms of verb tenses.

Level 5: I can write a **short text** on a range of **familiar topics**, using **simple sentences**.

Level 4: I can write a **short text** on a **familiar topic**, **adapting language** which I have already learnt.

Level 3: I can write a few **short sentences** on familiar topics with **support** (pictures, word bank or dictionary), using expressions which I have already learnt.

Level 2: I can write **one or two short sentences** to a **model** and fill in the words on a simple form.

Level 1: I can write or **copy simple words** or **symbols** correctly.

On completing this stage,

You should be able to write several sentences from memory. You should be able to develop a short text using a model.

On completing this stage,

You should be able to use a basic range of everyday expressions relating to personal details. Your spelling may not always be completely accurate but your meaning will be clear. You should be able to understand and use a few simple grammatical structures and sentence patterns. You should be able to use reference sources with reasonable accuracy and attempt some sentences from memory. You should be familiar with the writing system of the language.

On completing this stage,

You should be able to write familiar words / phrases correctly from memory. You should be able to recognize conventions of (rules for) word order when writing a sentence.