



Grammar and Punctuation Overview: Year One Spring Term

English Unit	Grammar	Punctuation
Classic stories (2-3 weeks)	Orally compose a sentence	Finger Spaces, Capital letters and full stops
	Use simple conjunctions to link ideas e.g. and	
	Add suffixes to verbs where no spelling change is needed to the root word, er	
Instructions (1-2 weeks)	What is an imperative verb ?	Introduce bullet points or numbers for a list.
	What is an exclamation or a command sentence?	
Traditional rhyme (1-2 weeks)	Plurals – adding 's' to a noun	Capital letters for names of places and people
Traditional Tales (3-4 weeks)	Use simple conjunctions to link ideas e.g. and, but , or	Capital letters for names
	Add the prefix 'un' to verbs and adjectives to change the meaning e.g. untie, unkind.	Identify and use exclamation marks
	What is an exclamation or a command sentence?	
Recounts 2 weeks	What is a question ?	Use question marks
	Writing in past tense . Add suffix -ed to a verb e.g. walked	Use capital letters for people, places and days of the week.
	Add suffix ing to verbs e.g. walking	
	Use pronoun I	

