

Writing in KSI



Ideas for writing at home:

- Leave notes around the home and encourage your child to reply to them with their own notes.
- Write letters to family members and friends.
- Write postcards on family vacations or special outings.
- Write thank you notes whenever it is appropriate to do so.
- Give your child a journal/sketch book/scrap book to encourage writing.
- Let your child design and write the menu for a family dinner.
- Practise spellings at home. Your child's teacher can provide you with some appropriate spelling for their ability/age.

Praise:

Praise all your child's efforts at writing. For every error your child makes, there are a dozen things done well.



Handwriting:

At St Alphege we are implementing a handwriting policy which encourages cursive letter formation and has lead-in and lead-out strokes in preparation for joining, once formation is correct.

a b c d e f g h i j k l m
n o p q r s t u v w x y z

Here is the letter formation you're your child will be taught to use.