



St John Fisher RC Primary School

Year Two Knowledge Organiser – Spring Term Two – Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

An apostrophe can be used to show possession

The man's voice was deep.	The voice belongs to the man.
The boy's parents were checking his homework.	The parents belong to the boy.
The school's mission is to love learning.	The mission belongs to the school.
The postman's van came around the corner.	The van belongs to the postman.
The referee's whistle could be heard.	The whistle belongs to the referee.

An apostrophe is used to make the contracted form

she will	she'll	did not	didn't
has not	hasn't	should have	should've
I will	I'll	cannot	can't
We are	We're	will not	won't
You are	You're	they have	they've

Homophones sound the same but can be spelt differently and have different meanings

pair	pear	
sea	see	
to	two	too
right	write	

Suffix

entertain + ment	entertainment – The teacher organised the entertainment for the party.
fast + er	faster – She was much faster than him.
fast + est	fastest – He was the fastest runner.
safe + ly	safely – She crossed the road safely.
small + er	smaller – I am smaller than my dad.
hope + ful	I am hopeful that it will be a sunny day today.

The prefix un (at the start of a word) can change the word to mean the opposite

do	undo	tidy	untidy
tie	untie	kind	unkind
happy	unhappy	fair	unfair
sure	unsure	told	untold

Nouns

We baked a delicious cake and we ate it.
I am reading a great book .
My favourite sport is football .
Look at the cute dog .

Capital letters for I for names of people and places and for days of the week and months of the year

Mrs Hunt	February	Alfie
Samantha	December	Helen

Conjunctions

Coordination
Sarah and Ryan stayed for the disco, but James went home.
Shall we stay at home or go for a walk?
Subordination
We will go cycling if we arrive home in time.
I want to be a doctor when I grow up.

A noun can be someone's name or a place or a thing

Name	Place	Thing
Alice	Manchester	tree
Ben	Middleton	table



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Plural with es

class	classes
torch	torches
witch	witches
stitch	stitches
fox	foxes

Adjectives to describe

red	large	unusual
black	small	selfish
silver	enormous	miserable
orange	rectangular	unhappy

Types of sentences

questions	statements	commands	exclamations
Where is my football?	The tree will grow.	Open the door for her.	It is very hot today!
What time is it?	The bus will arrive on time.	Put it carefully in the dish.	What a fast runner she is!
Which team are you in?	School starts in September.	Sit down at your desk.	Football is such a great game!
How old are you?	Christmas is in December.	Find a space in the hall.	The Year Six show was amazing!

Commas in a list

Bring a pencil, a ruler and a book to school.	My cousins are Freddie, John and Ameilia.
We saw sheep, cows and birds on our walk.	Year 1, Year 3 and Year 6 were in the hall.
I bought sandals, sunglasses and a hat.	The Union Jack is red, white and blue.
My dress was red, yellow and white.	At the zoo, I saw elephants, zebra, hippos and lions.

Verbs

The children closed their books, packed their bags and stood behind their chairs.
We went on a school visit to the canal.
Hiba took some pictures for her project.
The singer sang beautifully.

Adverbs

The children looked quickly for a good place to sit.
The dancer danced gracefully .
The leaf drifted slowly to the ground.
It was raining very lightly so they could go out to play.

Sentences in present tense

I am watching television.
Emily is running to catch the bus.
The teacher is showing us how to solve a problem.
It is time for assembly.

Sentences in the past tense

The boy made footprints in the snow.
After the children made their models, they painted them.
Ben learnt that some whales can hold their breath for two hours.
Harry ran to school.
Emma caught the ball.
Paul swam 25m across the pool.

Compound words

blackboard	bookmark
netball	postman



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Homework

wrap wrong wren wrestle wrinkle wrote write wriggle wring	loud louder loudest fast faster fastest slow slower slowest	slim slimmer slimmest silly sillier silliest luck luckier luckiest	thin thinner thinnest big bigger biggest sad sadder saddest	key keys donkey donkeys turkey turkeys trolley trolleys monkey monkeys	sad sadness weak weakness kind kindness foolish foolishness good goodness	spicy spiciness cheeky cheekiness dizzy dizziness chatty chattiness giddy giddiness
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Special Focus Classwork

many some should come any would there their	too ate there nose for two knows their eight four	fossil nostril evil stencil council peril pupil measure treasure revision television	seen scene wait weight hole whole sighed side new knew	worse password workshop workers world worm world	they've you've I've you'd they'd we'd	Raindrops are the sky's tears. Wind is the Earth's sighs, Icicles are the winter's spears.
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Homework

triangle rattle giggle purple tickle simple table bubble shuttle apple	cancel travel towel camel jewel tunnel label vowel parcel squirrel	capital crystal tropical sandal animal magical festival medal usual
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Special Focus Classwork

all police funny simply softly tall sadly saggy foolishly where wedge knife	icy was crazy ball cycle there cheesy runny blue wood money why half	knee stopping making gel nodding hedge knew sliding skipping smiling busy write sky people
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