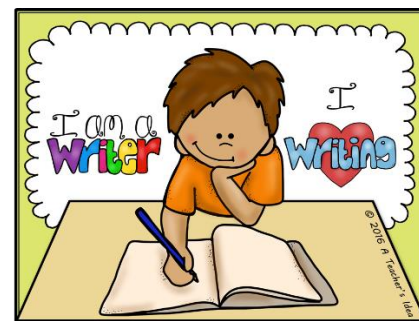


## HOME LEARNING: MRS TAVENER'S GROUPS

**Learning Intention:** We are learning to become better writers

**Success Criteria:**

- ✓ I use capital letters at the beginning of sentences.
- ✓ I use correct punctuation at the end.
- ✓ I have spaces between each word.
- ✓ My sentences make sense.



**ACTIVITIES:** You may choose from these activities and you may do more than one of the same kind.

I might use your work in our newspaper when we publish it.

- ✓ Write a limerick about yourself, another family member or your pet.
- ✓ Write a "What Am I?" about an animal, a sport or your favourite food.
- ✓ Write out a recipe for your favourite food and illustrate it (draw a picture).
- ✓ Explain to me how you tie shoelaces.
- ✓ Explain to me what you do to get ready for school in the morning.
- ✓ Write a recount of your day.
- ✓ Write a recount about how you helped one of your parents or a brother or sister do something at home.
- ✓ Make a poster for your favourite movie, TV show or computer game. Use words on your poster.
- ✓ Write an information report about your favourite animal and illustrate it.
- ✓ Write me a letter stating that you should not have homework and give me good reasons why.
- ✓ Prepare a PowerPoint presentation (with writing) about a famous Australian. Remember to save it and bring it to school so that I can see it.
- ✓ Write a report about a favourite book you have read or show that you have watched. Would you recommend it to others? Why?
- ✓ Draw a picture of two things and underneath compare them. Remember to use complete sentences (See Success Criteria above). For example: a butterfly and a bird; a car and a bike.
- ✓ Write a story or comic for a younger child.
- ✓ Write about "How to Make a Smoothie" and illustrate it.
- ✓ Write out your TV guide of things that you watched for a day. Remember to write the day and the time that each thing was on.
- ✓ Draw a picture of your favourite character (In a computer game, in a book, on TV etc). Write a story about it.
- ✓ Write a recount of Harmony Day and draw what you wore.
- ✓ If you were a Superhero what would your magic power be? Write a story for me about yourself and how you used your power.

I look forward to reading all of your writing.

Mrs Tavener