Year 1

Little Wandle letter formation and MSL Handwriting Rescue Scheme

Term	Coverage – Staff team to split into lessons and weeks
Autumn **Little Wandle letter formation**	**Lower case letter formation (in letter families)** • i, u, t • n, m, p • e, c, o • a, d, q • v, w, r • s, x • l, h, b • k, f, j • g, y, z
Spring **Little Wandle letter formation**	**Revision of lower case letter formation (in letter families) and teach capital letters alongside** • i, u, t • n, m, p • e, c, o • a, d, q • v, w, r • s, x • l, h, b • k, f, j • g, y, z
Summer **Follow MSL Handwriting Rescue Scheme apart from x, f an k will continue to be taught following the Little Wandle letter formation**	**Pre-cursive lower case letter formation (in letter families)** • i, u, t (6-8) • n, m, p (10-12) • e, c, o (14-16) • a, d, q (18-20) • v, w, r (22-24) • s, **x** (26-27) • l, h, b (29-31) • **k**, **f**, j (33-35) • g, y, z (37-39)

Year 2

MSL Handwriting Rescue Scheme

Term	Coverage – Staff team to split into lessons and weeks
Autumn **x, f an k will be 'new' to year 2 as will only have previously been taught following the Little Wandle letter formation**	Letter formation revision (in letter families) • i, u, t (6-8) • n, m, p (10-12) • e, c, o (14-16) • a, d, q (18-20) • v, w, r (22-24) • s, **x** (26-27) • l, h, b (29-31) • **k**, **f**, j (33-35) • g, y, z (37-39)
Spring	• Link the letters i, u, t (9) • Link the letters n, m, p (13) • Link the letters e, c, o (17) • Link the letters a, d, q (21) • Link the letters v, w, r (25) • Link the letters s, x (28) • Link the letters l, h, b (32) • Link the letters k, f, j (36) • Link the letters g, y, z (40)
Summer ***Staff to pick out most useful activities across the Summer term from the additional pages in the MSL Rescue Scheme**	• Useful links to practise st, sp, sn, sc (41) • Useful links to practise sk, nk, ck (42) • Useful links to practise tr, pr, dr, cr (43) • Useful links to practise br, str, spr, scr (44) • Useful links to practise sm, mp, gr, ng (45) • Useful links to practise ing, ll, oo (46) • Useful links to practise ss, all, tw, sw (47) • Useful links to practise war, ve, ex, qu (48) • Useful links to practise sh, shr, th, thr (49) • Useful links to practise ch, tch, ed (50) • Useful links to practise wh, or, ay, le (51) • Useful links to practise age, dge, ou, ow (52) • Useful links to practise oi, oy, au, aw (53) • Useful links to practise ea, ear (54) • Useful links to practise oa, ie, igh (55) • Useful links to practise ai, air, ir, ur (56) • Useful links to practise ew, ure, ture, sure (57) • Useful links to practise a-e, i-e, o-e, u-e (58) • Useful links to practise ph, our, ous, ough (59) • Useful links to practise tion, sion, cian (60)

Year 3/4

MSL Handwriting Rescue (Follow on exercises) Book 1

Term	Coverage – Staff team to split into lessons and weeks
Autumn 1	Cursive letter formation revision (in letter families) • i, u, t (1) • n, m, p (2) • e, c, o (3) • a, d, q (4) • v, w, r (5) • s, x (6) • l, h, b (7) • k, f, j (8) plus alternative letter formation for f • g, y, z (9)
Autumn 2	• Use of capital letters (28) • Using capital letters for the names of people (29) • Using capital letters for place names (31) • Days of the week (35) • Months of the year (37)
Spring 1	• Using key words (10) • Using key words (11) • Using key words (12) • Using key words (13) • Using key words (14) • Using key words (15)
Spring 2	• Using key words (16) • Using key words (17) • Using key words (18) • Using irregular key words (19/20) • Using spelling choices: i, t, p, n, s (21) • Using spelling choices: a, d, h, e (22)
Summer 1	• Using spelling choices: c, k, -ck, o (23) • Using spelling choices: b, y, r, m (24) • Using spelling choices: j, u, g, -y (25) • Using spelling choices: s blends (26) • Using spelling choices: r blends (27)
Summer 2	• Number words (39) • Question words (42) • Using contractions (45) • Using contractions (46) • Seasons and weather (49)

Points to note:

- You might not get all of the sentences covered from every page
- Always leave a gap (no join) when teaching apostrophes for contraction
- There are useful words lists (51-63) for additional activities if needed

Year 5/6

MSL Handwriting Rescue (Follow on exercises) Book 2

Term	Coverage – Staff team to split into lessons and weeks
Autumn 1	Cursive letter formation revision (in letter families) • i, u, t (1) • n, m, p (2) • e, c, o (3) • a, d, q (4) • v, w, r (5) • s, x (6) • l, h, b (7) • k, f, j (8) including alternative letter formation for f • g, y, z (9)
Autumn 2	• Using key words (10) • Using key words (11) • Using key words (12) • Using key words (13) • Using key words (14) • Using key words (15)
Spring 1	• Using key words (16) • Using key words (17) • Using key words (18) • Using irregular key words (19/20) • Using spelling choices: f, -ff, fr, -ft (21) • Using spelling choices: l, -ll, l blends (22)
Spring 2	• Using spelling choices: -ss, w, w blends (23) • Using spelling choices: v, -ve, x, z, -zz (24) • Using spelling choices: qu, sh, th (25) • Using spelling choices: ch, -tch (26) • Using spelling choices: ar, er, wh (27)
Summer 1	• Using spelling choices: or, au, aw (28) • Using spelling choices: ea, oa, ai (29) • Using spelling choices: ir, ur, ew, ey (30) • Homophones (33) • Homophones (34)
Summer 2	• Plurals for f (35) • Adding a vowel suffix (37/38) • Ordinal numbers (41) • Silent letters (45) • Consonant suffixes (48)

Points to note:

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- There are useful words lists (51-63) for additional activities if needed