Writing Step 2 exploring	Writing Step 2 achieving	Writing Step 2 exceeding
I can, with help, talk about what I am going to write about.	I can usually say what I am going to write about.	I can always say what I am going to write about.
I can, with help, say a sentence I am going to write.	I can, by myself, say a sentence I am going to write.	I can quickly say a sentence I am going to write.
I can link some ideas together in my writing.	I can write my ideas in order.	I can develop my ideas in a few sentences.
I can, with help, read my writing to check it makes sense.	I can usually read my writing to check it makes sense, and put right any mistakes.	I can confidently read my writing to check it, and put right any mistakes.
I can sometimes talk about what I have written.	I can listen and sometimes answer when an adult talks about my writing.	I can talk with an adult about my writing.
I can, with help, read my writing out to a small group.	I can usually read my writing out clearly to others.	I can confidently read my writing out clearly to others.