



### Whole school punctuation progression grid – overview

EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Aa . (! ?) (recognise in reading)	Aa.!?	Aa.!?	Aa.!?	Aa.!?	Aa.!?	Aa.!?
Inverted commas (recognise in reading)	Inverted commas	Inverted commas	Inverted commas	Inverted commas	Inverted commas	Inverted commas
	Commas to separate a list	Commas to separate a list	Commas to separate a list	Commas to separate a list	Commas to separate a list	Commas to separate a list
	Apostrophe for omission and possession	Apostrophe for omission and possession	Apostrophe for omission and possession	Apostrophe for omission and possession	Apostrophe for omission and possession	Apostrophe for omission and possession
		Commas for fronted adverbials	Commas for fronted adverbials	Commas for fronted adverbials	Commas for fronted adverbials	Commas for fronted adverbials
					Commas for clarity	Commas for clarity
					Parentheses Dashes Brackets Commas  Hyphens	Parentheses Dashes Brackets Commas  Hyphens
						Adding detail - Dashes Colons  Linking - Semi-colons  Bullet points