

# TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

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Dear Parents/carers

As a school we take great pleasure from seeing our children take pride in their work and gain a sense of achievement in all aspects of their learning. One area that we would like to concentrate on improving is letter formation and handwriting. We believe that if children can see their handwriting improve, they will develop a love of writing.

As part of our school development plan to improve handwriting we as a school will be doing the following:

- Weekly Teaching and Daily Practice
- Letter Formation Assessment & Review
- Finger-Gym stations in EYFS
- Writing Shed and mark making resources in playgrounds

Outside your child's classroom will be some handwriting practice sheets which will show you the starting point of each letter and the direction the pencil needs to move. We will also have clever rhymes available which your child is currently learning to help them with the formation of each letter.

Mr Kenny and Mrs Rogers will also be posting handwriting videos which will show you how to form every letter with hints and tips you can use to help your child's handwriting.

By working in collaboration with you as parents we aim to see a whole school improvement in the quality of handwriting which in turn we will see the enjoyment children will gain from improving their handwriting.

Thank you for your continued support

Mr Kenny and Mrs Rogers  
**Handwriting Champions**