**Skill 6S**

**Composition**

New National Curriculum Objectives:

1. Selects appropriate grammar and vocabulary to change and enhance meaning
2. Can precise longer passages
3. Links ideas across paragraphs using grammatical connections
4. Uses a wider range of devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs
5. Assess the effectiveness of their own and others’ writing using a self-devised success criteria and makes pertinent suggestions for specific improvements
6. Makes changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning

We are getting better at:

Examples:

Text has cohesion if:

* It is clearly organised so readers can find their way round the ideas.
* It includes words and phrases that act like ‘signposts’, helping readers to follow the author’s train of thought.
* The writing ‘holds together’, so that it is easy to read and understand.