**✍️ Year 1 Early Writing & Phonics Tick List ✅**

**🔤 Phonics**

* I can use phonics to read and spell words with taught sounds.
* I can blend sounds to read new words quickly.
* I can segment words into sounds to spell them.
* I can read and spell tricky words from Phase 2–5.

**✏️ Writing**

* I can use capital letters at the start of sentences.
* I can use full stops at the end of sentences.
* I can leave spaces between words.
* I can write simple sentences that make sense.
* I can spell words using the sounds I’ve learned.
* I can write the days of the week.
* I can use “and” to join ideas in a sentence.