**✍️ Year 4 Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling – Tick List ✅**

**🔤 Grammar**

* I can use noun phrases with extra detail (e.g. *the shiny, silver robot*).
* I can use fronted adverbials (e.g. *Before sunrise, we went outside*).
* I can use pronouns to avoid repeating nouns.
* I can use standard English verb forms (e.g. *We were going*, not *We was going*).
* I can use paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme.

**🪄 Punctuation**

* I can use commas after fronted adverbials.
* I can use inverted commas and punctuation for direct speech.
* I can use apostrophes correctly for possession and contractions.
* I can use commas in lists accurately.

**📝 Spelling**

* I can spell words with prefixes (e.g. *in-*, *il-*, *im-*, *ir-*, *auto-*, *anti-*).
* I can spell words with suffixes (e.g. *-ation*, *-ous*, *-ion*).
* I can spell homophones and near homophones (e.g. *their/there/they’re*).
* I can spell more words from the Year 3/4 word list correctly.
* I can use a dictionary to check spellings.