Writers for the Future / Kids on the Net Teachers' Portal
Dragonsville project Spring term 2004
Initial evaluation

Name ....

School...

Year group for this project ....Approx. how many pupils will you be working with? …….

Other year groups you've taught (for context)..

Job title/relevant responsibility (e.g., Headteacher, ICT or Literacy Coordinator)

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Technical questions

What kind of Internet connection do you have? (e.g., broadband 512K cable modem, ADSL,
56K dial-up)
School connection ....

Home or other connection you have access to ....

Who is your provider? (e.g., BTInternet, Pipex Dial, ntlworld) Normal school connection...................

Home or other connection provider ....

What computer do you use (e.g., PC, Mac) Normal school computer..

Home or other connection computer ....

Operating System (e.g. Mac OS/9, Windows 98, 2000, XP) Normal school O.S. ....

Home or other connection O.S. ....

What browser do you use and what version (e.g., Internet Explorer 5.5)?

School connection	Home or other
Internet Explorer Version _____	Internet Explorer Version _____
Netscape Version _____	Netscape Version_____
Other (specify)	Other (specify)

How would you rate your personal familiarity with the Internet ? (put X by appropriate answer)
A   no familiarity
B   little familiarity (use of Web and some email)
C   confident user of email and Web
D   confident/expert user and can do a little web page creation
E   expert user and web page builder

Do you already use Internet resources in your teaching?...

If so which are your favourite and why?...

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Do you already use ICT resources in your literacy/English teaching?...

If so, which resources do you use most? ....

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Dragonsville   http://kotn.ntu.ac.uk/dragonsville

What do you hope to gain from this project?..

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Have you previously used Kids on the Net in the classroom? If so which? ....

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Have you previously used materials from the Kids on the Net Teachers' Portal in the classroom? If so which?
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Please grade from 1-10 where 1 is lowest and 10 is highest)

Your personal Internet skills	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
How confident are you in using ICT in teaching?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
How confident are you in using ICT in teaching literacy and English?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Your pupils' internet skills (average over class)	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Pupils' confidence in writing (average over class)	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

What are you hoping will be the plus factors for you and for the learner in using Internet resources in literacy teaching?
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Do you foresee any negative factors for the learner in using Internet resources in literacy teaching? What practical factors might put you off using KOTN and these materials in your classroom? (e.g., lack of technical support, unreliability of net connection, insufficient differentiation)

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Where would you be able to use the materials? Replace with an X as many times as applies

In the classroom	☐	For peer teaching/support	☐
In the ICT suite	☐	For supported individual work	☐
With whole class	☐	Other ....
With small groups	☐	

Do you prefer:

Activities accessed independently by pupils	☐
Those which provide support materials for teachers to use with the class?	☐
A mixture of both	☐

Thank you for your help. Please add any further comments or suggestions on the back of this sheet.