

Scope and Sequence

Unit	Writing	Grammar for Writing	Building Better Vocabulary	Original Student Writing
1 p. 2 UNDERSTANDING SENTENCE BASICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Is a Sentence? • Capitalization and Punctuation in a Sentence • Editing Your Writing • Journal Writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parts of a Sentence: Subjects, Verbs, and Objects • A Fragment—An Incomplete Sentence • The Verb <i>Be</i> • Prepositions of Place—<i>At, On, and In</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about a country you want to visit.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about a place that is important to you?</p>
2 p. 32 UNDERSTANDING PARAGRAPH BASICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Is a Paragraph? • Parts of a Paragraph: The Topic Sentence • Parts of a Paragraph: The Body • Parts of a Paragraph: The Concluding Sentence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using Adjectives • Word Order: Adjective + Noun • Word Order: <i>Be</i> + Adjective • Word Order: Linking Verb + Adjective • Subject Pronouns • Object Pronouns • Possessive Adjectives 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about an interesting person that you know.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you describe an activity or hobby that you enjoy?</p>
3 p. 70 WRITING ABOUT THE PRESENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing about the Present 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Simple Present Tense: Statements • <i>There Is / There Are</i> • The Simple Present Tense: Negative Statements • Simple Sentences • Compound Sentences • Connecting Words in Compound Sentences • Using <i>A</i> and <i>An</i> with Count Nouns 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about your favorite sport.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about things you do every day?</p> <p>Timed Writing Topic: Describe a typical “free day.”</p>

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<p>4</p> <p>WRITING ABOUT THE PAST</p> <p>p. 98</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing about the Past 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Simple Past Tense of <i>Be</i> • The Simple Past Tense of Regular Verbs • The Simple Past Tense of Irregular Verbs • Time Phrases with the Simple Past Tense • The Simple Past Tense of <i>Be</i>: Negatives • The Simple Past Tense: Negatives • Using <i>But</i> Correctly • Sentence Variety: Complex Sentences • Using Complex Sentences to Show Time Order 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about an important person.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about the home you lived in as a child?</p> <p>Timed Writing Topic: Describe an event or time from your past.</p>
<p>5</p> <p>DESCRIBING ACTIONS</p> <p>p. 128</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing Actions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Present Progressive Tense • Verbs in Complex Sentences • Adverbs of Manner • Prepositional Phrases of Place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about what is happening in an emergency situation.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about what is happening at this moment?</p> <p>Timed Writing Topic: Describe an activity that you are doing this year.</p>
<p>6</p> <p>WRITING ABOUT THE FUTURE</p> <p>p. 152</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing about the Future 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Simple Future Tense: <i>Be Going To</i> • The Simple Future Tense: <i>Will</i> • Time Words and Phrases • The Simple Future Tense: Negatives • Verbs in Complex Sentences about the Future • The Indefinite Articles: <i>A/An</i> • The Definite Article: <i>The</i> • Article Use Summary • Using Modifiers with Singular Count Nouns • Complex Sentences with <i>Because</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Associations • Using Collocations • Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about an event in your future.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about what you think will happen in the future?</p> <p>Timed Writing Topic: Describe something that you plan to do next year.</p>

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<p>7 p. 180 WRITING COMPLEX SENTENCES WITH ADJECTIVE CLAUSES</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Importance of Sentence Variety 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sentence Variety: Recognizing Sentences with Adjective Clauses Sentence Variety: Writing Adjective Clauses Using Modals to Add Meaning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Word Associations Using Collocations Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write about your dining preference: cooking at home vs. eating out.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about someone or something you like?</p> <p>Timed Writing Topic: Describe something that is important to you.</p>
<p>8 p. 206 PULLING IT ALL TOGETHER AND PREPARING FOR MORE</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review: Parts of a Paragraph Brief Reader Response: Writing a Response to Topics in the News 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writer’s Note: Making Your Writing More Interesting Verbs that Express an Opinion Writer’s Note: Using <i>Should</i> to Soften Your Tone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Word Associations Using Collocations Parts of Speech 	<p>Original Student Writing: Write your opinion on banning smoking in public places.</p> <p>Write your opinion on government limits on the size of sugary drinks.</p> <p>Photo Topic: Can you write about a type of art that you feel strongly about?</p>