

Grade 3 - Writing

TRIMESTER 1

T1 ELA 5.0	EFFECTIVE WRITING
ELA 5.3.1	Use prewriting strategies to plan written work; choose and narrow a topic to organize ideas.
ELA 5.3.2a	Draft paragraphs about a single topic with an introduction and supporting details.
ELA 5.3.4a	Edit for correct use of mechanics: punctuation (end punctuation) and spelling (high frequency words).
ELA 5.3.5a	Edit for correct word usage: nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, verb tenses, and subject/verb agreement.
ELA 5.3.6a	Edit for use of complete sentences.
ELA 5.3.7	Prepare a legible final draft to display or share.
ELA 5.3.A1	Identify correct word order in sentences.
T1 ELA 6.0	TYPES OF WRITING
ELA 6.3.4	Write responses to literary text.
ELA 6.3.5	Write responses to expository text.
ELA 6.3.7	Write friendly letters following an established format.

TRIMESTER 2

T2 ELA 5.0	EFFECTIVE WRITING
ELA 5.3.2b	Draft paragraphs about a single topic with a conclusion.
ELA 5.3.3a	Revise drafts for focused ideas, relevant details, word choice, and organization.
ELA 5.3.4b	Edit for correct use of mechanics: punctuation (commas), capitalization (proper nouns, initials, and titles), and spelling (patterned words).
ELA 5.3.6b	Edit to combine sentences.
T2 ELA 6.0	TYPES OF WRITING
ELA 6.3.6	Write an opinion statement.

TRIMESTER 3

T3 ELA 5.0	EFFECTIVE WRITING
ELA 5.3.2c	Draft paragraphs about a single topic that address audience and purpose.
ELA 5.3.3b	Revise drafts for audience, purpose, voice, and sentence fluency.
ELA 5.3.4c	Edit for correct use of mechanics: punctuation (apostrophes and quotation marks) and spelling (content words).
ELA 5.3.5b	Edit for correct word usage: adverbs.
ELA 5.3.A2	Edit sentences for elimination of run-ons.
T3 ELA 6.0	TYPES OF WRITING
ELA 6.3.1	Write expository paragraphs with a topic sentence, supporting details, and a concluding statement.
ELA 6.3.2	Write narrative/descriptive paragraphs appropriate to audience and purpose with a logical sequence, characters, and setting.
ELA 6.3.9	Write research papers by formulating questions; collect and record information from at least three sources.