

## Optional 34-Week Essentials in Writing Plan Level 3

**IMPORTANT:** Prior to beginning, watch the preliminary videos about how to use the curriculum as well as read all the Curriculum Information in the Teacher Handbook.

Below are suggested daily pacing guides for an **average Level 3 track**.

**Symbol Key** is located on the footer of each page.

<b>Essentials in Writing</b>	
Week 1	1
	<b>UNIT ONE: GRAMMAR</b>
	Watch Lesson 1 video (length: 3:36) // Read Lesson 1 text Complete Lesson 1 activity
	2
	<i>Writing Sentences</i> Watch Lesson 2 video (3:34) // Read Lesson 2 text Complete Day 1 activity
	3
	* Rewatch Lesson 2 video (3:34) // Reread Lesson 2 text Complete Day 2 activity
	4
Watch Lesson 3 video (2:56) // Read Lesson 3 text Complete Day 1 activity	
5	
* Rewatch Lesson 3 video (2:56) // Reread Lesson 3 text Complete Day 2 activity	
Week 2	6
	* Rewatch Lesson 3 video (2:56) // Reread Lesson 3 text Complete Day 3 activity
	7
	Watch Lesson 4 video (3:38) // Read Lesson 4 text Complete Day 1 activity
	8
	* Rewatch Lesson 4 video (3:38) // Reread Lesson 4 text Complete Day 2 activity
	9
	Watch Lesson 5 video (4:45) // Read Lesson 5 text Complete Day 1 activity
10	
* Rewatch Lesson 5 video (4:45) // Reread Lesson 5 text Complete Day 2 activity	

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Week 3	11	
		* Rewatch Lesson 5 video (4:45) // Reread Lesson 5 text Complete Day 3 activity
	12	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 1 (Lessons 2-5) (A)</i>
	13	
		Watch Lesson 6 video (6:27) // Read Lesson 6 text Complete Day 1 activities
	14	
		* Rewatch Lesson 6 video (6:27) // Reread Lesson 6 text Complete Day 2 activities
	15	
	Watch Lesson 7 video (3:12) // Read Lesson 7 text Complete Day 1 activity	
Week 4	16	
		* Rewatch Lesson 7 video (3:12) // Reread Lesson 7 text Complete Day 2 activity
	17	
		* Rewatch Lesson 7 video (3:12) // Reread Lesson 7 text Complete Day 3 activity
	18	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 2 (Lessons 6-7) (A)</i>
	19	
		<b><i>Identify Parts of Speech</i></b> Watch Lesson 8 video (6:49) // Read Lesson 8 text Complete Day 1 activities
	20	
	* Rewatch Lesson 8 video (6:49) // Reread Lesson 8 text Complete Day 2 activities	
Week 5	21	
		* Rewatch Lesson 8 video (6:49) // Reread Lesson 8 text Complete Day 3 activity
	22	
		Watch Lesson 9 video (4:13) // Read Lesson 9 text Complete Day 1 activity
	23	
		* Rewatch Lesson 9 video (4:13) // Reread Lesson 9 text Complete Day 2 activity
	24	
		* Rewatch Lesson 9 video (4:13) // Reread Lesson 9 text Complete Day 3 activity
	25	
	* Rewatch Lesson 9 video (4:13) // Reread Lesson 9 text Complete Day 4 activity	

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Week 6	26	
		* Rewatch Lesson 9 video (4:13) // Reread Lesson 9 text Complete Day 5 activity
	27	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 3 (Lessons 8-9) (A)</i>
	28	
		Watch Lesson 10 video (5:41) // Read Lesson 10 text Complete Day 1 activities
	29	
		* Rewatch Lesson 10 video (5:41) // Reread Lesson 10 text Complete Day 2 activity
	30	
	* Rewatch Lesson 10 video (5:41) // Reread Lesson 10 text Complete Day 3 activity	
Week 7	31	
		* Rewatch Lesson 10 video (5:41) // Reread Lesson 10 text Complete Day 4 activities
	32	
		* Rewatch Lesson 10 video (5:41) // Reread Lesson 10 text Complete Day 5 activity
	33	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 4 (Lesson 10) (A)</i>
	34	
		Watch Lesson 11 video (4:14) // Read Lesson 11 text Complete Day 1 activity
	35	
	* Rewatch Lesson 11 video (4:14) // Reread Lesson 11 text Complete Day 2 activity	
Week 8	36	
		Watch Lesson 12 video (4:56) // Read Lesson 12 text Complete Day 1 activity
	37	
		* Rewatch Lesson 12 video (4:56) // Reread Lesson 12 text Complete Day 2 activity
	38	
		Watch Lesson 13 video (2:15) // Read Lesson 13 text Complete Day 1 activity
	39	
		* Rewatch Lesson 13 video (2:15) // Reread Lesson 13 text Complete Day 2 activity
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	* Rewatch Lesson 13 video (2:15) // Reread Lesson 13 text Complete Day 3 activity	

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Week 9	41	
		* Complete Assessment 5 (Lessons 11-13) (A)
	42	
		Watch Lesson 14 video (4:14) // Read Lesson 14 text Complete Day 1 activities
	43	
		* Rewatch Lesson 14 video (4:14) // Reread Lesson 14 text Complete Day 2 activities
	44	
		* Rewatch Lesson 14 video (4:14) // Reread Lesson 14 text Complete Day 3 activity
45		
	* Complete Assessment 6 (Lesson 14) (A)	
Week 10	46	
		Watch Lesson 15 video (2:44) // Read Lesson 15 text Complete Day 1 activities
	47	
		* Rewatch Lesson 15 video (2:44) // Reread Lesson 15 text Complete Day 2 activity
	48	
		* Rewatch Lesson 15 video (2:44) // Reread Lesson 15 text Complete Day 3 activity
	49	
		Watch Lesson 16 video (3:25) // Read Lesson 16 text Complete Day 1 activities
50		
	* Rewatch Lesson 16 video (3:25) // Reread Lesson 16 text Complete Day 2 activities	
Week 11	51	
		Watch Lesson 17 video (3:50) // Read Lesson 17 text Complete Day 1 activity
	52	
		* Rewatch Lesson 17 video (3:50) // Reread Lesson 17 text Complete Day 2 activity
	53	
		Watch Lesson 18 video (4:14) // Read Lesson 18 text Complete Day 1 activities
	54	
		* Rewatch Lesson 18 video (4:14) // Reread Lesson 18 text Complete Day 2 activity
55		
	Watch Lesson 19 video (2:52) // Read Lesson 19 text Complete Day 1 activities	

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Week 12	56	
		* Rewatch Lesson 19 video (2:52) // Reread Lesson 19 text Complete Day 2 activity
	57	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 7 (Lessons 15-19) (A)</i>
	58	
		Watch Lesson 20 video (3:27) // Read Lesson 20 text Complete Day 1 activity
	59	
		* Rewatch Lesson 20 video (3:27) // Reread Lesson 20 text Complete Day 2 activity
	60	
	* Rewatch Lesson 20 video (3:27) // Reread Lesson 20 text Complete Day 3 activity	
Week 13	61	
		* Rewatch Lesson 20 video (3:27) // Reread Lesson 20 text Complete Day 4 activity
	62	
		* Rewatch Lesson 20 video (3:27) // Reread Lesson 20 text Complete Day 5 activity
	63	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 8 (Lesson 20) (A)</i>
	64	
		<b><i>Common Problems</i></b> Watch Lesson 21 video (2:15) // Read Lesson 21 text Complete Day 1 activities
	65	
	* Rewatch Lesson 21 video (2:15) // Reread Lesson 21 text Complete Day 2 activities	
Week 14	66	
		* Rewatch Lesson 21 video (2:15) // Reread Lesson 21 text Complete Day 3 activity
	67	
		* <i>Complete Assessment 9 (Lesson 21) (A)</i>
	68	
		Watch Lesson 22 video (2:20) // Read Lesson 22 text Complete Day 1 activities
	69	
		* Rewatch Lesson 22 video (2:20) // Reread Lesson 22 text Complete Day 2 activities
70		
	* <i>Complete Assessment 10 (Lesson 22) (A)</i>	

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Week 15	71	
		Watch Lesson 23 video (2:56) // Read Lesson 23 text Complete Lesson 23 activities
	72	
		Watch Lesson 24 video (4:11) // Read Lesson 24 text Complete Day 1 activity
	73	
		* Rewatch Lesson 24 video (4:11) // Reread Lesson 24 text Complete Day 2 activity
	74	
		* Rewatch Lesson 24 video (4:11) // Reread Lesson 24 text Complete Day 3 activity
	75	
	* <i>Complete Assessment 11 (Lessons 23-24) (A)</i>	
Week 16	76	
		<b><i>Apply Parts of Speech</i></b> Watch Lesson 25 video (7:35) // Read Lesson 25 text Complete Day 1 activity
	77	
		* Rewatch Lesson 25 video (7:35) // Reread Lesson 25 text Complete Day 2 activity
	78	
		* Rewatch Lesson 25 video (7:35) // Reread Lesson 25 text Complete Day 3 activity
	79	
		* Rewatch Lesson 25 video (7:35) // Reread Lesson 25 text Complete Day 4 activity
80		
	Watch Lesson 26 video (4:06) // Read Lesson 26 text Complete Day 1 activity	
Week 17	81	
		* Rewatch Lesson 26 video (4:06) // Reread Lesson 26 text Complete Day 2 activity
	82	
		* Rewatch Lesson 26 video (4:06) // Reread Lesson 26 text Complete Day 3 activity
	83	
		* Rewatch Lesson 26 video (4:06) // Reread Lesson 26 text Complete Day 4 activity
	84	
	Watch Lesson 27 video (3:28) // Read Lesson 27 text Complete Day 1 activity	
85		
	* Rewatch Lesson 27 video (3:28) // Reread Lesson 27 text     ↓↓	

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		Complete Day 2 activity
Week 18	86	<b>Apply Sentence Structure</b> Watch Lesson 28 video (2:57) // Read Lesson 28 text Complete Day 1 activities
	87	* Rewatch Lesson 28 video (2:57) // Reread Lesson 28 text Complete Day 2 activities
	88	* Rewatch Lesson 28 video (2:57) // Reread Lesson 28 text Complete Day 3 activity
	89	* <i>Complete Assessment 12 (Lesson 28) (A)</i>
	90	Watch Lesson 29 video (6:05) // Read Lesson 29 text Complete Day 1 activity
	91	* Rewatch Lesson 29 video (6:05) // Reread Lesson 29 text Complete Day 2 activity
	92	* Rewatch Lesson 29 video (6:05) // Reread Lesson 29 text Complete Day 3 activity
	93	* Rewatch Lesson 29 video (6:05) // Reread Lesson 29 text Complete Day 4 activity
	94	* Rewatch Lesson 29 video (6:05) // Reread Lesson 29 text Complete Day 5 activity
Week 19	95	* <i>Complete Assessment 13 (Lesson 29) (A)</i>
	96	Watch Lesson 30 video (4:02) // Read Lesson 30 text Complete Day 1 activities
	97	* Rewatch Lesson 30 video (4:02) // Reread Lesson 30 text Complete Day 2 activities
Week 20	98	Watch Lesson 31 video (4:11) // Read Lesson 31 text Complete Day 1 activities
	99	* Rewatch Lesson 31 video (4:11) // Reread Lesson 31 text Complete Day 2 activities
	100	* Rewatch Lesson 31 video (4:11) // Reread Lesson 31 text
		* Rewatch Lesson 31 video (4:11) // Reread Lesson 31 text ↓↓

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		Complete Day 3 activity
Week 21	101	
		* Complete Assessment 14 (Lessons 30-31) (A)
	102	
		* Complete Unit One Comprehensive Assessment (A)
	103	
		<b>UNIT TWO: COMPOSITION</b>
		<b>The Writing Process</b> Watch Lesson 32 video (6:12) // Read Lesson 32 text
	104	
		Watch Lesson 33 video (3:30) // Read Lesson 33 text Complete Lesson 33 activity – Brainstorm
105		
	Watch Lesson 34 video (3:49) // Read Lesson 34 text Complete Lesson 34 activities – Organize	
Week 22	106	
		Watch Lesson 35 video (4:22) // Read Lesson 35 text Complete Lesson 35 activities – Draft
	107	
		Watch Lesson 36 video (5:56) // Read Lesson 36 text Complete Lesson 36 activity – Revise
	108	
		Watch Lesson 37 video (1:11) // Read Lesson 37 text Complete Lesson 37 activity – Final Draft
	109	
		* Complete Assessment 15 (Lessons 32-37) (A)
	110	
	<b>Paragraph Practice</b> Watch Lesson 38 video (3:47) // Read Lesson 38 text Complete Lesson 38 activities	
Week 23	111	
		Watch Lesson 39 video (2:17) // Read Lesson 39 text Complete Day 1 activities
	112	
		* Rewatch Lesson 39 video (2:17) // Reread Lesson 39 text Complete Day 2 activity
	113	
		Watch Lesson 40 video (6:39) // Read Lesson 40 text Complete Lesson 40 activities – Brainstorm, Organize
	114	
		Watch Lesson 41 video (2:37) // Read Lesson 41 text Complete Lesson 41 activity – Draft
115		
	Watch Lesson 42 video (6:17) // Read Lesson 42 text ↓↓	

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		Complete Lesson 42 activity – Revise
Week 24	116	Watch Lesson 43 video (1:12) // Read Lesson 43 text Complete Lesson 43 activity – Final Draft
	117	* <i>Complete Assessment 16 (Lessons 38-43) (A)</i>
	118	<b><i>Expository Paragraph</i></b> Watch Lesson 44 video (5:03) // Read Lesson 44 text Complete Lesson 44 activity – Brainstorm
	119	Watch Lesson 45 video (4:22) // Read Lesson 45 text Complete Lesson 45 activity – Organize
	120	Watch Lesson 46 video (2:38) // Read Lesson 46 text Complete Lesson 46 activity – Draft
	121	Watch Lesson 47 video (6:47) // Read Lesson 47 text Complete Lesson 47 activity – Revise
	122	Watch Lesson 48 video (1:12) // Read Lesson 48 text Complete Lesson 48 activity – Final Draft
	123	<b><i>Expository Personal Letter</i></b> Watch Lesson 49 video (5:09) // Read Lesson 49 text Complete Lesson 49 activity – Brainstorm
	124	Watch Lesson 50 video (5:29) // Read Lesson 50 text Complete Lesson 50 activity – Organize
Week 25	125	Watch Lesson 51 video (5:01) // Read Lesson 51 text Complete Lesson 51 activity – Draft
	126	Watch Lesson 52 video (5:50) // Read Lesson 52 text Complete Lesson 52 activity – Revise
	127	Watch Lesson 53 video (1:18) // Read Lesson 53 text Complete Lesson 53 activity – Final Draft
	128	* <i>Complete Assessment 17 (Lessons 44-53) (A) OR Expository Paragraph: Extra Practice OR Expository Personal Letter: Extra Practice</i>
Week 26	129	<b><i>Persuasive Paragraph</i></b> Watch Lesson 54 video (2:56) // Read Lesson 54 text     ↓↓

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		Complete Lesson 54 activity – Brainstorm
	130	
		Watch Lesson 55 video (3:16) // Read Lesson 55 text Complete Lesson 55 activity – Organize
Week 27	131	
		Watch Lesson 56 video (2:49) // Read Lesson 56 text Complete Lesson 56 activity – Draft
	132	
		Watch Lesson 57 video (6:51) // Read Lesson 57 text Complete Lesson 57 activity – Revise
	133	
		Watch Lesson 58 video (0:36) // Read Lesson 58 text Complete Lesson 58 activity – Final Draft
	134	
		<b><i>Persuasive Personal Letter</i></b> Watch Lesson 59 video (3:45) // Read Lesson 59 text Complete Lesson 59 activity – Brainstorm
	135	
	Watch Lesson 60 video (3:46) // Read Lesson 60 text Complete Lesson 60 activity – Organize	
Week 28	136	
		Watch Lesson 61 video (3:12) // Read Lesson 61 text Complete Lesson 61 activity – Draft
	137	
		Watch Lesson 62 video (3:39) // Read Lesson 62 text Complete Lesson 62 activity – Revise
	138	
		Watch Lesson 63 video (0:42) // Read Lesson 63 text Complete Lesson 63 activity – Final Draft
	139	
		<b>* Complete Assessment 18 (Lessons 54-63) (A) OR Persuasive Paragraph: Extra Practice OR Persuasive Personal Letter: Extra Practice</b>
	140	
	<b><i>Descriptive Paragraph</i></b> Watch Lesson 64 video (4:20) // Read Lesson 64 text Complete Lesson 64 activity – Brainstorm	
Week 29	141	
		Watch Lesson 65 video (4:19) // Read Lesson 65 text Complete Lesson 65 activity – Organize
	142	
		Watch Lesson 66 video (3:20) // Read Lesson 66 text Complete Lesson 66 activity – Draft
	143	
	Watch Lesson 67 video (4:37) // Read Lesson 67 text ↓↓	

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		Complete Lesson 67 activity – Revise
	144	
		Watch Lesson 68 video (0:41) // Read Lesson 68 text Complete Lesson 68 activity – Final Draft
	145	
		<b><i>Imaginative Narrative</i></b> Watch Lesson 69 video (5:02) // Read Lesson 69 text Complete Lesson 69 activity
Week 30	146	
		Watch Lesson 70 video (7:28) // Read Lesson 70 text Complete Lesson 70 activities – Brainstorm, Organize
	147	
		Watch Lesson 71 video (2:54) // Read Lesson 71 text Complete Lesson 71 activity – Draft
	148	
		Watch Lesson 72 video (5:07) // Read Lesson 72 text Complete Lesson 72 activity – Revise
	149	
		Watch Lesson 73 video (0:44) // Read Lesson 73 text Complete Lesson 73 activity – Final Draft
	150	
		* Complete Assessment 19 (Lessons 64-73) (A) <b>OR</b> Descriptive Paragraph: Extra Practice <b>OR</b> Imaginative Narrative: Extra Practice
Week 31	151	
		* <b>CHOOSE</b> either Expository Paragraph: Extra Practice, Persuasive Paragraph: Extra Practice, <b>OR</b> Descriptive Paragraph: Extra Practice
	152	
		<b><i>Research Project</i></b> Watch Lesson 74 video (4:49) // Read Lesson 74 text Watch Lesson 75 video (4:49) // Read Lesson 75 text Complete Lesson 75 activity – Brainstorm
	153	
		Watch Lesson 76 video (6:37) // Read Lesson 76 text Complete Lesson 76 activities – Gather Information
	154	
		Continue Lesson 76 activities
	155	
	Continue Lesson 76 activities	
Week 32	156	
		Continue Lesson 76 activities
	157	
		Finish Lesson 76 activities
	158	
		Watch Lesson 77 video (3:38) // Read Lesson 77 text    ↓↓

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		Complete Day 1 activities – Organize Topic #1 & #2
	159	
		* Rewatch Lesson 77 video (3:38) // Reread Lesson 77 text Complete Day 2 activities – Organize Topic #3 & #4
	160	
		Watch Lesson 78 video (2:20) // Read Lesson 78 text Complete Day 1 activity – Draft Topic #1
Week 33	161	
		* Rewatch Lesson 78 video (2:20) // Reread Lesson 78 text Complete Day 2 activity – Draft Topic #2
	162	
		* Rewatch Lesson 78 video (2:20) // Reread Lesson 78 text Complete Day 3 activity – Draft Topic #3
	163	
		* Rewatch Lesson 78 video (2:20) // Reread Lesson 78 text Complete Day 4 activity – Draft Topic #4
	164	
		Watch Lesson 79 video (2:22) // Read Lesson 79 text Complete Lesson 79 activity – Revise
	165	
		□ Watch Lesson 80 video (0:54) // Read Lesson 80 text Complete Lesson 80 activity – Final Draft
Week 34	166	
		Watch Lesson 81 video (4:26) // Read Lesson 81 text Complete Day 1 activities
	167	
		* Rewatch Lesson 81 video (4:26) // Reread Lesson 81 text Complete Day 2 activities
	168	
		Watch Lesson 82 video (3:35) // Read Lesson 82 text Complete Lesson 82 activity – Writing a Bibliography
	169	
		* <i>Complete Unit Two Comprehensive Assessment (A)</i>
	170	
		<b><i>Final Lesson</i></b> Watch Final Lesson video (0:36) // Read Lesson Final Lesson text Complete Final Lesson activities – Comparing Compositions Watch End of Year video (1:40)

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