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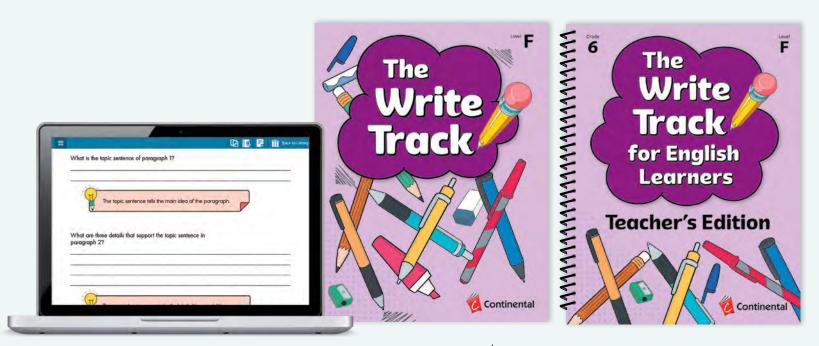
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How This Series Supports English Learners

While writing can be daunting for any student, it can be distinctly challenging for English learners. *The Write Track for English Learners* offers comprehensive writing instruction to help ELs develop their written communication skills and gain confidence for classroom writing assignments and state testing requirements. Components include student books, annotated teacher's editions, and interactive eBooks.

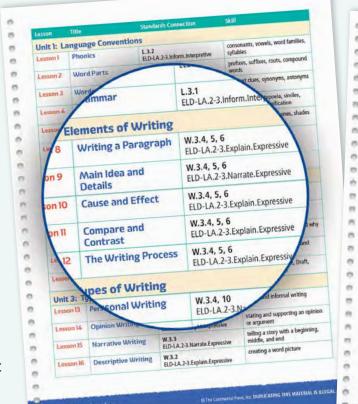




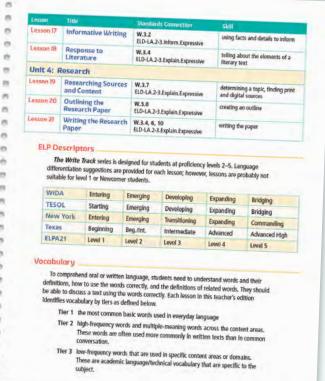
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Standards Connection

To align with today's academic requirements, lessons are correlated to Common Core and state English language development (ELD) standards. Writing genres include personal, opinion, narrative, descriptive, informative, and response to literature.







Level C

Standards Connection cont.

Connections to language expectations (inform, narrate, argue, explain) are found throughout the books.







Some writing asks what you think or feel about something. This is called an opinion. You might be asked to persuade someone of your view. This is called persuasive writing. You cannot prove an opinion. However, you can support it. You do this with facts and reasons. Facts can be proven true. They can be checked. Reasons explain why your opinion makes good sense.

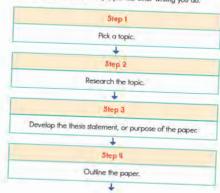
This type of writing can be an email message or a letter. You might send an email to a friend to persuade him or her to do something. You might write a letter to a principal to persuade her to start a new after-school club.

You need to plan your ideas when you write an opinion or argument.

- I Tell your opinion.
- 2. Support your opinion with facts, examples, and reasons.
- Connect your opinion with your reasons. Use linking words like because, for example, therefore, and since.
- Use your last sentence or paragraph to sum up your opinion or position.

Researching Sources and Content

You are asked to do all kinds of writing in school. You might even be asked to write a report or research paper. For this type of writing, you will find out facts about a topic. You might look on a website or in a book to learn more about a topic. This type of fact finding is called researching. Knowing where to find facts and information is an important skill. After you find your information, you might be asked to share what you discovered. You might be asked to write a short report or longer research paper. Writing a report or research paper is done in steps, just like other writing you do.



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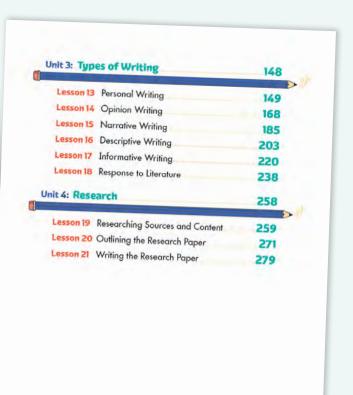
Level D

Book Organization

Four units progressively build writing skills, beginning with lessons on grammar and then moving on to the writing process, different types of writing, and finally, how to write a research paper. Books for levels A–C (grades K–3) also include phonics in the first unit.



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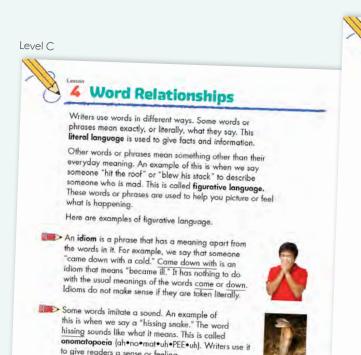


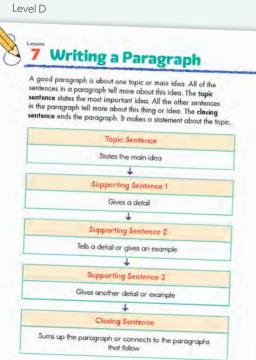
Lesson Format

Each lesson provides teacher-led skill introduction, guided practice, and independent practice to scaffold instruction.

Part *1: Skill Introduction

Lessons begin with an explanation of the skill and how to use it. In many lessons, examples are used to deepen understanding, and students can read along during teacher-led instruction.







Level F

13 Reasoned Writing

Some writing asks what you think or feel about something. This is called an **opinion**. You might be asked to write an opinion of a movie, a book, or a game. Other times, you may be asked to convince readers to change the way they think about an issue. This is called **persuasive** writing.

You cannot prove an opinion. However, you can support it. You do this with facts and reasons. Facts can be proven true. They can be checked. Reasons explain why your opinion makes good sense.

This type of writing can take the form of an email message or a letter. You might send an email to a friend to persuade him or her to do something. You might write a letter to a principal to persuade her to start a new after-school club.

You need to plan your ideas when you write an opinion or argument.

- I. Tell your opinion.
- 2. Support your opinion with facts, examples, and reasons.
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- 4. Use your last sentence or paragraph to sum up your opinion or position.

These words are used to express an opinion.



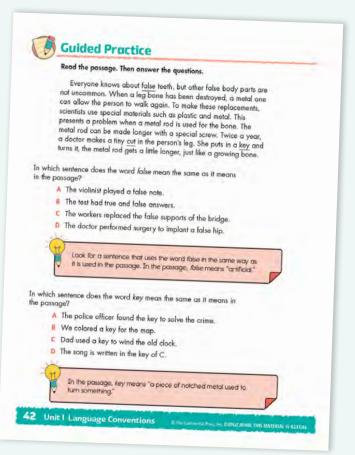
Part #2: Guided Practice

In this section, students are guided through practice activities with hints and reminders to reinforce the writing skill.

The guided practice was very beneficial for my students. Highly structured activities transitioned them from what they learned in the concept introduction to independently applying

the skills at the end of each lesson. -Cara Baldwin, 6-8 Grade English Language Development, PA

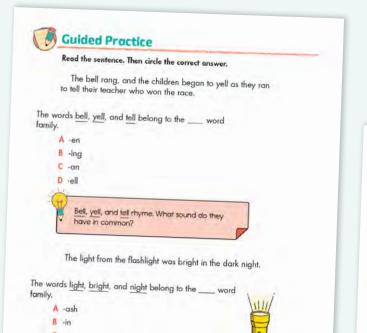




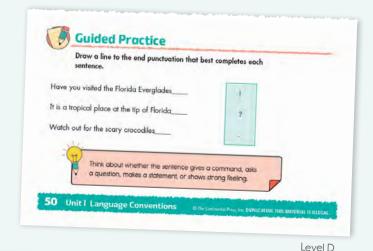
Part #2: Guided Practice, cont.

A variety of item types provides practice with classroom and state testing formats and vary across the units:

- Selected response with and without reading passages (multiple choice, match, order, etc.)
- Short response with and without reading passages
- Extended response/essay for writing prompts







Ameer is writing his research report about a field of science. He chooses chemistry. He interviews a chemist about his work. Then Ameer reads a news article about a chemist who created a spray solution to keep showers clean. Finally, he searches websites for an organization of chemists to find out more about different types of chemistry.

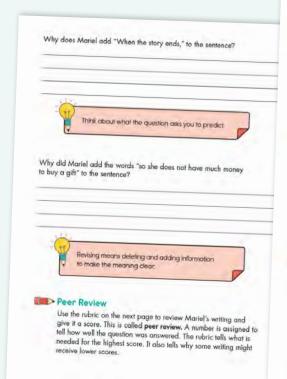
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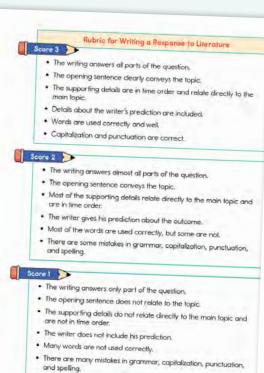
Primary sources are original materials. Secondhand sources were areated later. They were not created at the time of the event or by the person who experienced the events.

Level F

Part #2: Guided Practice cont.

In lessons where students apply the writing process, rubrics are provided, along with writing samples. Students can use the rubrics to first practice scoring the example, then go on to evaluate their work or a peer's writing using peer review. Level A uses a modified writing process and writing samples appropriate for that audience.



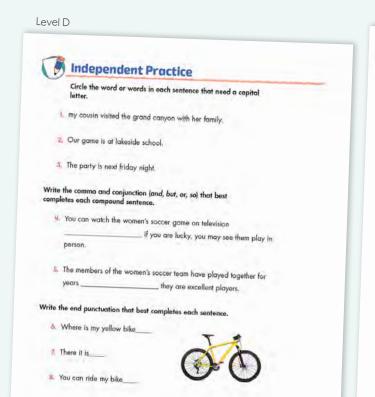


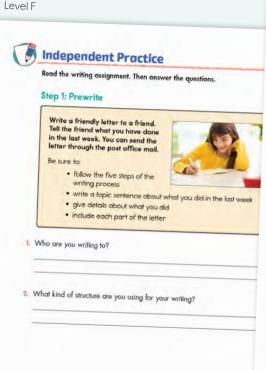


Level D What score would Mariel's draft receive? Is the writing clear? Does it answer the question? Why do you think it would receive this score? Are there any mistakes? The next step is to edit the draft. Step 4: Edit Mariel changed her work to make the big corrections. The next step is to edit the draft. Mariel will read the draft again. She will check for mistakes in grammar, spelling, and punctuation. She will use proofreading symbols to mark changes to be made. 224 Unit 3 Types of Writing

Part #3: Independent Practice

Each lesson ends with independent practice, giving students the opportunity to apply the skill without any help or hints. Independent practice can be used as homework or as a formative assessment in the classroom to measure student understanding.







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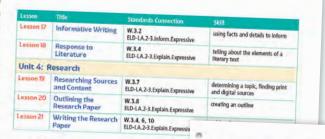
Teaching Support

Annotated teacher's editions include:

- Scope and sequence with connections to language and writing standards
- Suggestions for use
- Instructional strategies
- Support for social emotional learning (SEL)
- Ideas to foster cultural awareness
- Reproducibles:
 - Graphic organizers
 - Proofreading symbols chart
 - Tricky words chart

The suggested timeframe helped me to break each lesson into smaller lessons that would fit with my allotted instructional time.

-Cara Baldwin, 6-8 Grade English Language Development, PA



Teacher's Edition

ELP Descriptors

The Write Track series is designed for students at proficier differentiation suggestions are provided for each lesson; howe suitable for level 1 or Newcomer students.

WIDA	Entering	Emerging	Developing
TESOL	Starting	Emerging	Developing
New York	Entering	Emerging	Transitioning
Texas	Beginning	Beg./Int.	Intermediate
ELPA21	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3

Vocabulary

To comprehend oral or written language, students need to definitions, how to use the words correctly, and the definition be able to discuss a text using the words correctly. Each lesso identifies vocabulary by tiers as defined below.

Tier 1 the most common basic words used in everyday

Tier 2 high-frequency words and multiple-meaning w These words are often used more commonly in conversation

Tier 3 low-frequency words that are used in specific of These are academic language/technical vocabu subject.

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Suggestions for Use

The lessons in *The Write Track* do not have to be completed consecutively. Lessons can be selected to accompany other parts of your curriculum. All lessons can be used independently.

It is recommended that you teach Lesson 8 Writing a Paragraph and Lesson 12 The Writing Process before completing lessons in Unit 3 Types of Writing.

General time allotments are given for each lesson; however, the flow of lessons will depend upon proficiency levels of your students and how you are incorporating 'the Write Track into your curriculum. Each writing lesson that utilizes the writing process may be used over five days of instruction. On the first two days, go over the lesson introduction and Guided Practice. Have your students read along with the student model in the book. For practice in revising and editing, you might have students write a dean cow of the

revised model with additional proofreading corrections

On the next two days, have students follow the process themselves—reading the selection, planning, writing, and revising. Some of this part of the lesson may be done as homework.

On the fifth day, you may choose to use their writing for peer review. The students can read each other's writing and give feedback. You may want to have them rewrite their answers based on the collaboration.

Work with the Page

Before you begin each lesson, introduce the topic to the students and provide background knowledge as necessary. After the class has been introduced to the page, you may have students work independently, in pairs, in small groups, or as a class to complete the activity.

Enrich the Lesson

Many lessons include an opportunity for continued practice and reinforcement in a new environment.

Language Differentiation

Activities to differentiate instruction for remediation are included with each lesson.



Teaching Support cont.

Each lesson in the annotated teacher's editions includes:

- Suggested time allotment
- Tiered vocabulary focus
- Connections to the writing standards
- Annotated student workbook pages
- Step-by-step teaching directions
- Enrichment and language differentiation activities

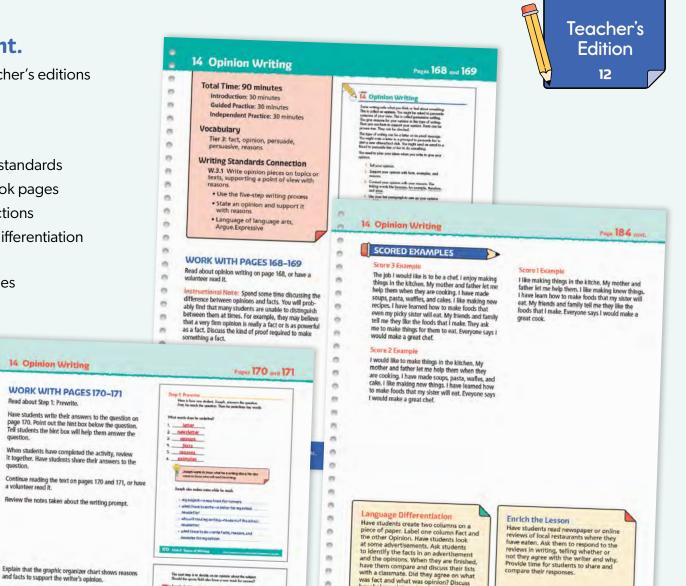
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Read about Step 1: Prewrite.

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and facts to support the writer's opinion.

 Rubrics with scored examples for independent practice



Interactive Online Instruction

Interactive eBooks help you maximize practice and prep time and personalize your instruction.

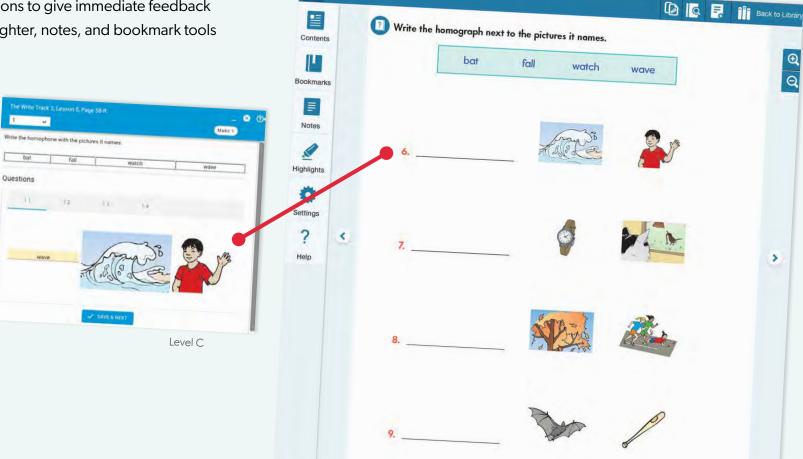
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- Instant scoring for selected-response items
- Built-in teacher tools with reporting
- 24/7 access and compatible on all devices, including iPad iOS 13+





Student Experience

- Online answering for all questions
- Instant scoring for selected-response questions to give immediate feedback
- Highlighter, notes, and bookmark tools

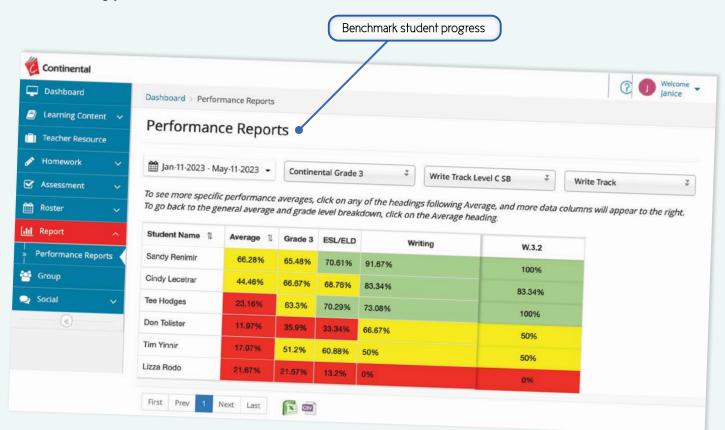


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Interactive eBook

- Instant scoring for selected-response questions for ease of grading
- Rubrics for written-response questions
- Performance reports to track student and class data and identify needs
- Custom test creation using your own content



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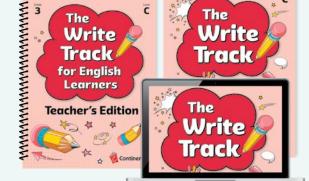
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