

Writing Standards Extended Standards

Grades K – 2

Essence of the Standards:

Write on selected topics (at these grade levels the word “write” includes dictation, drawing and approximated spelling).

- Revise and publish writing with support.
- Use digital tools to write.
- Participate in shared research.

Most Complex ←			→ Least Complex		
Text Types and Purposes					
W.K.2.1a Generate written text stating a basic opinion on a topic, and provide a reason.		W.K.2.1b Generate written text stating a basic opinion on a topic.		W.K.2.1c Communicate a personal preference.	
W.K.2.2a Generate written text about a topic, and provide one fact about the topic.		W.K.2.2b Generate at least one fact about a topic.		W.K.2.2c Choose an object that represents a writing topic.	
W.K.2.3a Generate text to communicate a sequence of events that tell a story.		W.K.2.3b Arrange pictures or text to communicate a sequence of events that tell a story.		W.K.2.3c Sequence events from a personal experience.	
Production and Distribution of Writing					
W.K.2.4a (Begins in grade 3)		W.K.2.4b (Begins in grade 3)		W.K.2.4c (Begins in grade 3)	
W.K.2.5a With guidance and support, revise writing to maintain focus on a topic.		W.K.2.5b With guidance and support, add one or more details to strengthen writing.		W.K.2.5c With guidance and support, select details to strengthen writing.	
W.K.2.6a With guidance and support, select and use digital tools to produce and publish writing.		W.K.2.6b With guidance and support, use digital tools to produce and publish writing.		W.K.2.6c With guidance and support, explore digital tools to produce and publish writing.	
Research to Build and Present Knowledge					
W.K.2.7a Participate in shared research and shared writing projects.		W.K.2.7b Participate in shared research and add details to shared writing experiences.		W.K.2.7c Participate in a shared experience to contribute to group writing.	
W.K.2.8a Use information from personal experiences or texts to answer questions.		W.K.2.8b Select a detail from experiences or research to answer a question.		W.K.2.8c Use personal experiences to support shared writing experiences.	
W.K.2.9a Begins in grade 4.		W.K.2.9b Begins in grade 4.		W.K.2.9c Begins in grade 4.	
Range of Writing					
(Begins in grade 3)		(Begins in grade 3)		(Begins in grade 3)	