

WriteShop Primary Book C – Scope and Sequence

Recommended Grade Levels: 2 or 3

Lesson 1: Planning the Story

Lesson Focus: **Using Story Ingredients to Plan a Story**

Theme: **Telling Time**

Objectives | Students will:

- Practice telling time to know when a story takes place.
- Plan the main ingredients of a story before beginning to write.
- Learn to use *who*, *what*, *where*, *when*, *why*, and *how* to plan a story.
- Identify different details in favorite stories.

Lesson 2: Writing a Mystery

Lesson Focus: **Organizing and Planning a Mystery**

Theme: **Mysteries**

Objectives | Students will:

- Organize details of a story to write a mystery.
- Write about a mystery and tell how the problem is solved.
- Continue to improve spelling skills.

Lesson 3: Self-Editing

Lesson Focus: **Learning to Edit Work by Himself**

Theme: **Weather**

Objectives | Students will:

- Write a story where the weather plays an important role.
- Check their work for words they spelled correctly.
- Check their work for sentences they wrote using correct punctuation.
- Start learning to self-edit their writing.
- Continue to improve spelling skills.

Lesson 4: Journal Writing

Lesson Focus: **The Personal Narrative in a Journal**

Theme: **Bees**

Objectives | Students will:

- Transition from writing fiction to writing nonfiction.
- Organize information to write about a personal experience.
- Observe how to write entries in a personal journal.
- Start writing in their own journal.

Lesson 5: Descriptive Writing | Describing a Thing

Lesson Focus: **Using Words to Describe Something**

Objectives | Students will:

- Use words to describe a tangible item.
- Read a description of something and identify what it is.
- Write a nonfiction article about an object.

Lesson 6: Descriptive Writing | Describing a Person

Lesson Focus: **Using Words to Describe a Person**

Objectives | Students will:

- Use words to describe a person.
- Identify describing words.
- Write a nonfiction article about a person.

Lesson 7: Descriptive Writing | Describing a Place

Lesson Focus: **Using Words to Describe a Place**

Objectives | Students will:

- Use words to describe a place.
- Practice describing familiar places.
- Write a nonfiction article about a place.

Lesson 8: Writing a Book Report

Lesson Focus: **Writing a Summary of a Book**

Objectives | Students will:

- Practice summarizing contents of familiar books.
- Learn to punctuate book titles.
- Write a book report.
- Continue using standard spelling as they write.

Lesson 9: Writing a Report

Lesson Focus: **Writing a Report Without Research**

Objectives | Students will:

- Practice listing facts about different topics.
- Learn how to write a simple report.
- Write down facts in a report about one specific topic.

Lesson 10: Writing a Research Report

Lesson Focus: **Using Research to Write a Report**

Objectives | Students will:

- Read a book to collect research facts about a specific topic.
- List facts they already know along with new facts they have learned from research.
- Write down facts in a research report.