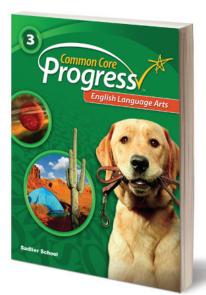
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Common Core Progress English Language Arts



Aligned to the

Colorado Academic Standards in Reading, Writing & Communicating

Grade 3

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1. Oral Expression and Listening

Prepared Graduates:

Use language appropriate for purpose and audience objective

Concepts and skills students master:

1. Oral communication is used both informally and formally

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Students can:

 a. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking clearly at an understandable pace. (CCSS: SL.3.4)

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- b. Distinguish different levels of formality
- Speak clearly, using appropriate volume and pitch for the purpose and audience

Speaking and Listening: Discuss the Essential Question—pp. 50 (speaking tips/speak in complete sentences), 94, 138, 188, 226

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- d. Select and organize ideas sequentially or around major points of information that relate to the formality of the audience
- e. Create engaging audio recordings of stories or poems that demonstrate fluid reading at an understandable pace; add visual displays when appropriate to emphasize or enhance certain facts or details. (CCSS: SL.3.5)

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f. Speak in complete sentences when appropriate to task and situation in order to provide requested detail or clarification. (CCSS: SL.3.6)

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 Use grammatically correct language for the audience and specific vocabulary to communicate ideas and supporting details 	
1. Oral Expression and Listening Prepared Graduates: Collaborate effectively as group members or leaders w acknowledge the ideas of others, and contribute ideas Concepts and skills students master: 2. Successful group activities need the cooperation of every	ho listen actively and respectfully pose thoughtful questions, to further the group's attainment of an objective
THIRD GRADE EVIDENCE OUTCOMES	SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3
Students can:	
a. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly. (CCSS: SL 3.1)	S
i. Come to discussions prepared, having read or studie required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to	
explore ideas under discussion. (CCSS: SL.3.1a)	Speaking and Listening: Discuss the Essential Question—pp. 5 (<i>Did I</i> : Come to the discussion prepared?), 94, 138, 188, 226
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ii. Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the	Speaking and Listening: Discuss the Essential Question—pp. 9 (Did I: Follow agreed-upon rules for discussion?), 94, 138, 188
topics and texts under discussion). (CCSS: SL.3.1b)	220

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 Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others. (CCSS: SL.3.1c) SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3

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Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

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iv. Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion. (CCSS: SL.3.1d) Connect Across Texts: Compare and Contrast Texts/Return to the Essential Question (discuss ideas with the class)—pp. 35, 79, 123, 173, 211, 255

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v. Use eye contact, volume, and tone appropriate to audience and purpose

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vi. Use different types of complete sentences to share information, give directions, or request information

 Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally. (CCSS: SL 3.2)

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Determining a Central Message: "John Henry: A Retelling of an American Folktale" (Folktale)/"Old Stormalong and the Octopus: A Retelling of an American Folktale" (Folktale)—pp. 18–23

Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

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Unit 9 Reading Literature: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Connecting Illustrations and Text: "The Case of the Missing Fruit" (Mystery)—pp. 194–199

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Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail. (CCSS: SL 3.3)

Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details

Asking and Answering Questions: "The Dove and the Ant: A Retelling of an Aesop Fable" (Fable)/"The Crow and the Pitcher: A Retelling of an Aesop Fable" (Fable)—pp. 12—17

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2. Reading for All Purposes

Prepared Graduates:

> Demonstrate comprehension of a variety of informational, literary, and persuasive texts

Concepts and skills students master:

1. Strategies are needed to make meaning of various types of literary genres

ΓHIRD GRADI	E EVIDENCE OUTCOMES	SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3
Students o	can:	
a. Use Ke	ey Ideas and Details to:	
i.	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers. (CCSS: RL.3.1)	Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details Asking and Answering Questions: "The Dove and the Ant: A Retelling of an Aesop Fable" (Fable)/"The Crow and the Pitcher: A Retelling of an Aesop Fable" (Fable)—pp. 12–17
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ii.	Use a variety of comprehension strategies to interpret text (attending, searching, predicting, checking, and self-correcting)	
iii.	Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text. (CCSS: RL.3.2)	Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details Determining a Central Message: "John Henry: A Retelling of an American Folktale" (Folktale)/"Old Stormalong and the Octopus: A Retelling of an American Folktale" (Folktale)—pp. 18–23
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iv.	Describe and draw inferences about the elements of plot, character, and setting in literary pieces, poems, and plays	
V.	Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events. (CCSS: RL.3.3)	Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details Describing Characters: "Atalanta the Huntress" (Myth)—pp. 24– 29 SEE ALSO

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b. Use Cr	raft and Structure to:	
i.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, distinguishing literal from nonliteral language. (CCSS: RL.3.4)	Unit 5 Reading Literature: Craft and Structure Distinguishing Literal from Nonliteral Language: "The Best Friend Possible" (Realistic Fiction)— pp. 100–105 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 5/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 97–99 Close Reading: "We Must See the Queen! (Historical Fiction)—pp. 118–122 Unit 5 Common Core Review—pp. 125–126 Performance Task—Online
ii.	Use signal words (such as before, after, next) and text structure (narrative, chronology) to determine the sequence of major events	
iii.	Refer to parts of stories, dramas, and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections. (CCSS: RL.3.5)	Unit 5 Reading Literature: Craft and Structure Understanding Parts of a Drama: "Singing Your Blues Away" (Drama)—pp. 106–111 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 5/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 97–99 Close Reading: "We Must See the Queen! (Historical Fiction)—pp. 118–122 Unit 5 Common Core Review—pp. 125–126 Performance Task—Online
iv.	Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters. (CCSS: RL.3.6)	Unit 5 Reading Literature: Craft and Structure Distinguishing Points of View: "Forever Friends" (Narrative Poem)—pp. 112–117 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 5/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 97–99 Close Reading: "We Must See the Queen! (Historical Fiction)—pp. 118–122 Unit 5 Common Core Review—pp. 125–126 Performance Task—Online
c. Use In	tegration of Knowledge and Ideas to:	
i.	Explain how specific aspects of a text's illustrations contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a story (e.g., create mood, emphasize aspects of a character or setting). (CCSS: RL.3.7)	Unit 9 Reading Literature: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Connecting Illustrations and Text: "The Case of the Missing Fruit" (Mystery)— pp. 194–199 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 9/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 191–193 Close Reading: "Treasure in the Desert" (Adventure Story)—pp. 206– 210 Unit 9 Common Core Review—pp. 213–214 Performance Task—Online
ii.	Summarize central ideas and important details from literary text	
iii.	Compare and contrast the themes, settings, and	Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details

series). (CCSS: RL.3.9)

plots of stories written by the same author about the

same or similar characters (e.g., in books from a

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- d. Use Range of Reading and Complexity of Text to:
 - By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently. (CCSS: RL.3.10)

Unit 1 Reading Literature: Key Ideas and Details

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Key Ideas and Details: Comprehension Check—pp. 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 33–34

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Unit 5 Reading Literature: Craft and Structure

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e. Read grade level text accurately and fluently, attending to phrasing, intonation, and punctuation

2. Reading for All Purposes

Prepared Graduates:

Engage in a wide range of nonfiction and real-life reading experiences to solve problems, judge the quality of ideas, or complete daily tasks

Concepts and skills students master:

2. Comprehension strategies are necessary when reading informational or persuasive text

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Students can:

- a. Use Key Ideas and Details to:
 - i. Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers. (CCSS: RI.3.1)

Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

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Performance Task—Online



 Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea. (CCSS: RI.3.2) SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3

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 Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect. (CCSS: RI.3.3)

Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

Describing Relationships Between Ideas: "Finding Machu Picchu" (Scientific Text)—pp. 68–73

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b. Use Craft and Structure to:

 Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area. (CCSS: RI.3.4)

Unit 7 Reading Informational Text: Craft and Structure

Determining Word Meanings: "Water Everywhere" (Explanatory

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Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words, sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a given topic efficiently. (CCSS: RI.3.5)

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iii. Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text. (CCSS: RI.3.6)

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 iv. Use semantic cues and signal words (because, although) to identify cause/effect and compare/contrast relationships



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- c. Use Integration of Knowledge and Ideas to:
 - Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps, photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and how key events occur). (CCSS: RI.3.7)

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Connecting Visual Information and Text: "How to Make a Telescope" (Technical Text)—pp. 232–237

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Unit 11 Common Core Review—pp. 257–258

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 Describe the logical connection between particular sentences and paragraphs in a text (e.g., comparison, cause/effect, first/second/third in a sequence). (CCSS: RI.3.8)

Unit 11 Reading Informational Text: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Describing Text Structures: "Pluto: Planet or Not? (Magazine Article)—pp. 238–243

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Performance Task—Online

iii. Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topic. (CCSS: RI.3.9)

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Comparing and Contrasting Texts: "Pluto Is Our Planet!" (Editorial)—pp. 244–249

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Performance Task—Online

- d. Use Range of Reading and Complexity of Text to:
 - By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently. (CCSS: RI.3.10)

Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

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Key Ideas and Details: Comprehension Check—pp. 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 77–78

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 Adjust reading rate according to type of text and purpose for reading.

2. Reading for All Purposes

Prepared Graduates:

Engage in a wide range of nonfiction and real-life reading experiences to solve problems, judge the quality of ideas, or complete daily tasks

Concepts and skills students master:

3. Comprehension strategies are necessary when reading informational or persuasive text

	OUTCOMES

SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3

Students can:

- e. Use Key Ideas and Details to:
 - Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers. (CCSS: RI.3.1)

Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea. (CCSS: RI.3.2)

 Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect. (CCSS: RI.3.3) Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

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- f. Use Craft and Structure to:
 - i. Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a *grade* 3 topic or subject area. (CCSS: RI.3.4)

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Performance Task—Online



 Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words, sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a given topic efficiently. (CCSS: RI.3.5) SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3

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ii. Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text. (CCSS: RI.3.6)

Unit 7 Reading Informational Text: Craft and Structure

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 iv. Use semantic cues and signal words (because, although) to identify cause/effect and compare/contrast relationships

- g. Use Integration of Knowledge and Ideas to:
 - Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps, photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and how key events occur). (CCSS: RI.3.7)

Unit 11 Reading Informational Text: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Connecting Visual Information and Text: "How to Make a Telescope" (Technical Text)—pp. 232–237

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 11/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 229–231 Close Reading: "Why the Solar System Moves" (Explanatory Text)—pp. 250–254 Unit 11 Common Core Review—pp. 257–258

Performance Task—Online

 Describe the logical connection between particular sentences and paragraphs in a text (e.g., comparison, cause/effect, first/second/third in a sequence). (CCSS: RI.3.8)

Unit 11 Reading Informational Text: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Describing Text Structures: "Pluto: Planet or Not? (Magazine Article)—pp. 238–243

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 11/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 229–231 Close Reading: "Why the Solar System Moves" (Explanatory Text)—pp. 250–254

Unit 11 Common Core Review—pp. 257–258
Performance Task—Online

iii. Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topic. (CCSS: RI.3.9)

Unit 11 Reading Informational Text: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Comparing and Contrasting Texts: "Pluto Is Our Planet!" (Editorial)—pp. 244–249

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 11/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 229–231 Close Reading: "Why the Solar System Moves" (Explanatory Text)—pp. 250–254

Unit 11 Common Core Review—pp. 257–258
Performance Task—Online



- h. Use Range of Reading and Complexity of Text to:
 - i. By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently. (CCSS: RI.3.10)

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Unit 3 Reading Informational Text: Key Ideas and Details

Introducing Unit 3/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 53–55

Key Ideas and Details: Comprehension Check—pp. 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 77–78

Asking and Answering Questions: "The 40,000-Yaer-Old Baby" (Magazine Article)—pp. 56–61

Determining Main Idea and Key Details: "The Amazing Tomb of Tut" (Historical Text)—pp. 62–67

Describing Relationships Between Ideas: "Finding Machu Picchu" (Scientific Text)—pp. 68–73

Close Reading: "Howard Carter's Last Chance" (Biography)—pp. 74–78

Connect Across Texts: Compare and Contrast—p. 79
Unit 3 Common Core Review: "Vikings in America" (Textbook
Article)—pp. 81–82

Unit 7 Reading Informational Text: Craft and Structure

Introducing Unit 7/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 147–149

Craft and Structure: Comprehension Check—pp. 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 171–172

Determining Word Meanings: "Water Everywhere" (Explanatory Text)— pp. 150–155

Using Text Features: "Watch Out for Weather!" (Journal Article)—pp. 156–161

Distinguishing Points of View: "Stop the Droughts!" (Editorial)—pp. 162–167

Close Reading: "Dust Bowl Disaster (Personal Narrative)—pp. 168–172

Connect Across Texts: Compare and Contrast Texts—p. 173 Unit 7 Common Core Review: "Lightning Strikes" (Magazine Article)—pp. 175—176

Unit 11 Reading Informational Text: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Introducing Unit 11/Home Connect—pp. 261–262

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas: Comprehension Check—pp. 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 253–254

Connecting Visual Information and Text: "How to Make a Telescope" (Technical Text)—pp. 232–237

Describing Text Structures: "Pluto: Planet or Not? (Magazine Article)—pp. 238–243

Comparing and Contrasting Texts: "Pluto Is Our Planet!" (Editorial)—pp. 244–249

Close Reading: "Why the Solar System Moves " (Explanatory Text)—pp. 250–254

Connect Across Texts: Compare and Contrast Texts—p. 255 Unit 11 Common Core Review: "Comets" (Scientific Text)—pp. 257–258



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ii. Adjust reading rate according to type of text and purpose for reading.	

3. Writing and Composition

Prepared Graduates:

> Implement the writing process successfully to plan, revise, and edit written work

Concepts and skills students master:

1. A writing process is used to plan, draft, and write a variety of literary genres

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Students can:

a. Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons. (CCSS: W.3.1)

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Analyze a student model/organize and draft an opinion essay—pp. 180–182

Unit 8 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the opinion essay started on p. 183—p. 190

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 8/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 177–179

- Introduce the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure that lists reasons. (CCSS: W.3.1a)
- i. Provide reasons that support the opinion. (CCSS: W.3.1b)
- iii. Use linking words and phrases (e.g., because, therefore, since, for example) to connect opinion and reasons. (CCSS: W.3.1c)
- iv. Provide a concluding statement or section. (CCSS: W.3.1d)
- v. Brainstorm ideas for writing
- b. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences. (CCSS: W.3.3)

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Creating an Organizational Structure/ Introducing the Topic/Stating an Opinion—pp. 180, 183

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Providing Reasons that Support the Opinion—pp. 181, 183

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Using Linking Words and Phrases—pp. 181, 183

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Providing a Concluding Statement that Restates the Opinion in Slightly Different Words—pp. 182–183

Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives

Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Analyze a student model/organize and draft a fictional narrative—pp. 42–45

Unit 2 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the fictional narrative started on p. 45—p. 52

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 2/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 39–41

Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives

Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Analyze a student model/organize and draft a nonfictional narrative—pp. 130–133

Unit 6 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the nonfictional narrative started on p. 133—p. 140



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		SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 6/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 127—129	
		Performance Task 1 Part 2: Narrative Writing (write two paragraphs telling what might happen next)—pp. 141, 144	
		Performance Task 2 Part 2: Narrative Writing (write a new first paragraph for the reading selection)—pp. 259, 262	
i.	Establish a situation and introduce a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. (CCSS: W.3.3a)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Creating an Organizational Structure/Giving Information About the Events and Introducing the Characters—pp. 42, 45	
		Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narrative Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Creatin an Organizational Structure/Introducing the Event and Narrator/Getting the Reader's Attention—pp. 130, 133	
ii.	Use dialogue and descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings to develop experiences and events or show the response of characters to situations. (CCSS:	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Using Dialogue to Show Thoughts and Feelings—pp. 43–45	
	W.3.3b)	Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narrative Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Using Dialogue to Show Thoughts and Feelings of Characters/Using Description to Give Details—pp. 131, 133	
iii.	Use temporal words and phrases to signal event order. (CCSS: W.3c)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Using Sequence Words to Signal Event Order—pp. 43–45	
		Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narrative Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Using Time-Order Words and Phrases to Signal the Order of Events–pp. 131, 133	
iv.	Provide a sense of closure. (CCSS: W.3.3d)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Concluding by Showing How the Problem Is Resolved—pp. 44–45	
		Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narrative Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Providing a Strong Ending That Tells How Events Worked Out—pp. 132–133	



3. Writing and Composition

Prepared Graduates:

Implement the writing process successfully to plan, revise, and edit written work

Concepts and skills students master:

2. A writing process is used to plan, draft, and write a variety of informational texts

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Students can:

a. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly. (CCSS: W.3.2)

Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts

Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Analyze a student model/organize and draft an informative/explanatory essay—pp. 86–89

Unit 4 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the informative/explanatory essay started on p. 89—p. 96

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 4/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 83–85

Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports

Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a
Research Report: Analyze a Student Model/Organize and Draft
a Research Report—pp. 218–222

Unit 10 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final copy of the research report started on p. 222—p. 228

SEE ALSO

Introducing Unit 10/Home Connect/Essential Question—pp. 215–217

Performance Task 1

Part 1: Literary Analysis (write a paragraph describing the character's feelings)—pp. 141–143

Part 3: Research Simulation (write a paragraph explaining how challenges in the reading selections affect people)—pp. 141, 145–146

Performance Task 2

Part 1: Literary Analysis (write a one-paragraph description using details from the story as evidence to support your analysis)—pp. 259–261

Part 3: Research Simulation (write a paragraph presenting two similar beliefs)—pp. 259, 263–264

 Introduce a topic and group related information together; include illustrations when useful to aiding comprehension. (CCSS: W.3.2a)

Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts

Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Creating an Organizational Structure/Introducing the Topic/Grouping Related Information—pp. 86–87, 89



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		Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Creating an Organizational Structure/Introducing the Topic/Organizing Information Using Headings—pp. 218–219, 222
ii.	State main ideas and include sufficient details or facts for appropriate depth of information (naming, describing, explaining, comparing, use of visual images)	
iii.	Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and details. (CCSS: W.3.2b)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Developing the Topic with Facts, Definitions, and Details—pp. 87, 89
		Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Developing the Topic with Facts and Researched Details—pp. 219, 222
iv.	Use linking words and phrases (e.g., also, another, and, more, but) to connect ideas within categories of information. (CCSS: W.3c)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Using Linking Words and Phrases to Connect Ideas—pp. 87, 89
		Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Using Transitions (yet, so, however)—pp. 219–220
V.	Provide a concluding statement or section. (CCSS: W.3.2d)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Providing a Conclusion That Wraps Up the Topic by Telling What Was Learned—pp. 88–89
		Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Concluding by Summing Up What the Reader Has Learned—p. 218



3. Writing and Composition

Prepared Graduates:

> Apply standard English conventions to effectively communicate with written language

Concepts and skills students master:

3. Correct grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling are used when writing

THIRD GRADE EVIDENCE OUTCOMES

SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3

Students can:

a. With guidance and support from adults, produce writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task and purpose. (CCSS: W.3.4)

Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives

Read a Student Model/Write a Fictional Narrative: Analyze a student model/organize and draft a fictional narrative—pp. 42–45

Unit 2 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the fictional narrative started on p. 45—p. 52

Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts

Read a Student Model/Outline an Informative/Explanatory Essay: Analyze a student model/organize and draft an informative/explanatory essay—pp. 86–89

Unit 4 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the informative/explanatory essay started on p. 89—p. 96

Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives

Read a Student Model/Write a Nonfictional Narrative: Analyze a student model/organize and draft a nonfictional narrative—pp. 130–133

Unit 6 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the nonfictional narrative started on p. 133—p. 140

Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Read a Student Model/Outline an Opinion Essay: Analyze a student model/organize and draft an opinion essay—pp. 180–183

Unit 8 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final draft of the opinion essay started on p. 183—p. 190

Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports

Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Analyze a Student Model/Organize and Draft a Research Report—pp. 218–222

Unit 10 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final copy of the research report started on p. 222—p. 228

 With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. (CCSS: W.3.5) Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Draft a Fictional Narrative—p. 45

Unit 2 Common Core Review: Write the final draft—p. 52



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Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts

Draft an Informative/Explanatory Essay—p. 89 **Unit 4 Common Core Review:** Write the final draft—p. 96

Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives

Draft a Nonfictional Narrative—p. 133

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Unit 6 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Evidence-Based Essays

Draft an Evidence-Based Essay—p. 133

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Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces

Draft an Opinion Piece—p. 183

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Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports

Draft a Research Report—p. 222

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Step 3: Revising—pp. 279–280

Step 4: Editing (Editing Checklist/Proofreading Marks/Editing

Tips)—pp. 281-282

c. With guidance and support from adults, use technology to produce and publish writing (using keyboarding skills) as well as to interact and collaborate with others. (CCSS: W.3.6)

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Step 1: Planning (use websites for information)—p. 276

Step 2: Drafting (using a computer to write drafts)—p. 278

Step 3: Revising (making changes on a computer)—pp. 279—

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Step 4: Editing (using a computer)—pp. 281–282

Step 5: Producing, Publishing, and Presenting (printing from a

computer)—p. 283

See also Home Connect: (using technology/Internet, online activities: sadlierconnect.com)—pp. 10, 40, 54 (Internet research), 84 (model using the Internet to search for good sources of information), 98, 128 (blogs), 148 (interesting web links), 178, 192 (web search), 216 (research on the Internet), 230 (search the Internet)

- d. Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. (CCSS: L.3.3)
 - i. Choose words and phrases for effect. (CCSS: L.3.3a)

Unit 6 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Evidence-Based Essays

Read a Student Model: Event Sequence (use words for effect)—p. 130



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		Writing Handbook Step 3 Revising: Revising Checklist—p. 279 Step 4 Editing: Editing Checklist—p. 281
ii.	Recognize and observe differences between the conventions of spoken and written standard English. (CCSS: L.3.3b)	Writing Handbook Step 5: Producing, Publishing, and Presenting: Speaking Tips (use language that fits your audience and occasion/the language used for writing and speaking is not always the same)—p. 283
	nstrate command of the conventions of standard n grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (CCSS:	
i.	Explain the function of nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs in general and their functions in particular sentences. (CCSS: L.3.1a)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Language: Nouns—p. 46 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 2/Home Connect—pp. 39–40 Unit 2 Common Core Review—p. 51
		Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Language: Pronouns—p. 90
		SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 4/Home Connect—pp. 83–84 Unit 4 Common Core Review—p. 95
		Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narrative Language: Verbs and Verb Tenses—p. 134 SEE ALSO
		Introducing Unit 6/Home Connect—pp. 127—128 Unit 6 Common Core Review—p. 139
		Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces Language: Adjectives—p. 184 Language: Adverbs—p. 185
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(CCSS: L.3.1b)

Language: Regular and Irregular Plural Nouns—p. 47

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Unit 2 Common Core Review—p. 51

Use abstract nouns (e.g., childhood). (CCSS: L.3.1c)

Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives

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iv.	Form and use regular and irregular verbs. (CCSS: L.3.1d)	Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives Language: Regular and Irregular Verbs—p. 135 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 6/Home Connect—pp. 127–128 Unit 6 Common Core Review—p. 139
V.	Form and use the simple (e.g., I walked; I walk; I will walk) verb tenses. (CCSS: L.3.1e)	Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives Language: Verbs and Verb Tenses—p. 134 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 6/Home Connect—pp. 127–128 Unit 6 Common Core Review—p. 139
vi.	Ensure subject-verb and pronoun-antecedent agreement. (CCSS: L.3.1f)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Language: Pronoun-Antecedent Agreement—p. 91 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 4/Home Connect—pp. 83–84 Unit 4 Common Core Review—p. 95 Writing Handbook: Step 4 Editing: Editing Checklist—p. 281
		Unit 6 Text Types and Purposes: Write Nonfictional Narratives Language: Subject-Verb Agreement—p. 136 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 6/Home Connect—pp. 127—128 Unit 6 Common Core Review—p. 139 Writing Handbook: Step 4 Editing: Editing Checklist—p. 281
vii.	Form and use comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified. (CCSS: L.3.1g)	Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces Language: Adjectives (comparatives, superlatives)—p. 184 Language: Adverbs (comparatives, superlatives)—p. 185 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 8/Home Connect—pp. 177–178 Unit 8 Common Core Review—p. 189
viii.	Use coordinating and subordinating conjunctions. (CCSS: L.3.1h)	Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write a Research Report Language: Compound Sentences (conjunction)—p. 223 Language: Complex Sentences (subordinating conjunction)—p. 224 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 10/Home Connect—pp. 215–216 Unit 10 Common Core Review—p. 227
ix.	Produce simple, compound, and complex sentences. (CCSS: L.3.1i)	Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces Language: Simple Sentences—p. 187

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		Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write a Research Report Language: Compound Sentences—p. 223 Language: Complex Sentences—p. 224 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 10/Home Connect—pp. 215–216	
		Unit 10 Common Core Review—p. 227	
X.	Vary sentence beginnings, and use long and short sentences to create sentence fluency in longer texts		
English	nstrate command of the conventions of standard capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when g. (CCSS: L.3.2)		
i.	Capitalize appropriate words in titles. (CCSS: L.3.2a)	Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write a Research Report Language: Capitalization—p. 225 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 10/Home Connect—pp. 215–216 Unit 10 Common Core Review—p. 227 Writing Handbook: Step 4 Editing: Editing Checklist—p. 281	
ii.	Use commas in addresses. (CCSS: L.3.2b)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Language: Commas in Addresses—p. 93 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 4/Home Connect—pp. 83–84 Unit 4 Common Core Review—p. 95	
iii.	Use commas and quotation marks in dialogue. (CCSS: L.3.2c)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Language: Dialogue Punctuation—p. 49 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 2/Home Connect—pp. 39–40 Unit 2 Common Core Review—p. 51	
iv.	Form and use possessives. (CCSS: L.3.2d)	Unit 2 Text Types and Purposes: Write Fictional Narratives Language: Possessives—p. 48 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 2/Home Connect—pp. 39–40 Unit 2 Common Core Review—p. 51	
V.	Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting, smiled, cries, happiness). (CCSS: L.3.2e)	Unit 4 Text Types and Purposes: Write Informative/ Explanatory Texts Language: Spelling High-Frequency Words—p. 92 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 4/Home Connect—pp. 83–84 Unit 4 Common Core Review—p. 95	
vi.	Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words. (CCSS: L.3.2f)	Unit 8 Text Types and Purposes: Write Opinion Pieces Language: Correct Spelling—p. 186 SEE ALSO Introducing Unit 8/Home Connect—pp. 177–178 Unit 8 Common Core Review—p. 189	



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vii. Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as needed to check and correct spellings. (CCSS: L.3.2g)

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4. Research and Reasoning

Prepared Graduates:

> Demonstrate the use of a range of strategies, research techniques, and persistence when engaging with difficult texts or examining complex problems or issues

Concepts and skills students master:

1. Researching a topic and sharing findings are often done with others

THIRD GRADE EVIDENCE OUTCOMES	SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3
Students can:	
a. Conduct short research projects that build knowledge about a topic. (CCSS: W.3.7)	Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Analyze a Student Model/Organize and Draft a Research Report—pp. 218–222 Unit 10 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final copy of the research report started on p. 222—p. 228
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b. Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories. (CCSS: W.3.8)	Unit 10 Research to Build and Present Knowledge: Write Research Reports Read a Student Model/Use a Graphic Organizer/Outline a Research Report: Developing the Topic with Researched Details/Providing a List of Sources/Using a Graphic Organizer to Take Notes—pp. 219–222 Unit 10 Common Core Review: Assignment: Write the final copy of the research report started on p. 222—p. 228 Performance Task 1 Part 3: Research Simulation—pp. 141, 145–146 Performance Task 2 Part 3: Research Simulation—pp. 259, 263–264 Writing Handbook Step 1: Planning (Research Tip)—pp. 276–277
c. Interpret and communicate the information learned by developing a brief summary with supporting details	
d. Develop supporting visual information (charts, maps, illustrations, models)	
e. Present a brief report of the research findings to an audience	



4. Research and Reasoning

Prepared Graduates:

> Demonstrate the use of a range of strategies, research techniques, and persistence when engaging with difficult texts or examining complex problems or issues

Concepts and skills students master:

2. Inferences and points of view exist

THIRD GRADE EVIDENCE OUTCOMES	SADLIER COMMON CORE PROGRESS ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, GRADE 3
Students can:	
Recognize that different sources may have different points of view	
b. Assess points of view using fairness, relevance, and breadth	
c. Determine the clarity, relevance, and accuracy of information	
d. Recognize that all thinking contains inferences from which we draw conclusions and give meaning to data and situations	
e. Assess inferences for accuracy and fairness	
f. Recognize what they know and don't know (intellectual humility)	