

What Is Expected of 10th Grade Writers

EALR 1: The student understands and uses a writing process.

- 1.1.1 Analyzes and selects effective strategies for generating ideas and planning writing. **(Pre-writes)**
- 1.2.1 Analyzes task and composes multiple drafts when appropriate. **(Produces drafts)**
- 1.3.1 Revises text, including changing words, sentences, paragraphs, and ideas. **(Revises)**
- 1.4.1 Edits for conventions (see 3.3). **(Edits)**
- 1.5.1 Publishes in formats that are appropriate for specific audiences and purposes. **(Publishes)**
- 1.6.1 Applies understanding of the recursive nature of writing process. **(Adjusts process as necessary)**
- 1.6.2 Uses collaborative skills to adapt writing process. **(Adjusts process as necessary)**
- 1.6.3 Uses knowledge of time constraints to adjust writing process. **(Adjusts process as necessary)**

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EALR 2: The student writes in a variety of forms for different audiences and purposes.

- 2.1.1 **Applies understanding of multiple and varied audiences to write effectively. (Adapts for audience)**
- 2.2.1 **Demonstrates understanding of different purposes for writing. (Writes for purpose)**
- 2.3.1 **Uses a variety of forms/genres. (Writes in a variety of forms)**
- 2.4.1 **Produces documents used in a career setting. (Writes for career)**

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EALR 3: The student writes clearly and effectively.

- 3.1.1 Analyzes ideas, selects a manageable topic, and elaborates using specific, relevant details and/or examples. **(Ideas and organization)**
- 3.1.2 Analyzes and selects effective organizational structures. **(Ideas and organization)**
- 3.2.1 Analyzes audience and purposes and uses appropriate voice. **(Appropriate style)**
- 3.2.2 Analyzes and selects language appropriate for specific audiences and purposes. **(Appropriate style)**
- 3.2.3 Uses a variety of sentences consistent with audience, purpose, and form. **(Appropriate style)**
- 3.3.1 Uses legible handwriting. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.2 Spells accurately in final draft. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.3 Applies capitalization rules. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.4 Applies punctuation rules. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.5 Applies usage rules. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.6 Uses complete sentences in writing. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.7 Applies paragraph conventions. **(Conventions)**
- 3.3.8 Applies conventional forms for citations. **(Conventions)**

**EALR means Essential Academic Learning Requirement
GLE means Grade Level Expectation**

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EALR 4: The student analyzes and evaluates the effectiveness of written work.

- 4.1.1 Analyzes and evaluates writing using established criteria. **(Others' and own writing)**
- 4.1.2 Analyzes and evaluates own writing using established criteria. **(Others' and own writing)**
- 4.2.1 Evaluates and adjusts writing goals using criteria. **(Sets goals for improvement)**