2021 Alabama Course of Study: English Language Arts

2021 Jump Into Writing Grade 2	
Writing Workshop	
Publisher: Zaner-Bloser	Teacher Guides:
	Launching Unit
	Narrative Writing: Personal Narratives
	Informational Writing: How-To Writing
	Opinion Writing: Persuasive Letters
	Narrative Writing: Realistic Fiction
	Informational Writing: Persona Writing
	Opinion Writing: Book Reviews

Grade 2 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
Writing	
40. Write a personal or fictional narrative using a logical sequence of events, including details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings and providing a sense of closure.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 62, 66, 78 Realistic Fiction Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 58, 62, 66, 78
41. Write informative or explanatory texts, introducing the topic, providing facts and relevant details to develop points, and providing a conclusion.	How-To-Writing Teacher Guide: 18, 22, 30, 34, 50, 58, 62, 66, 70 Persona Writing Teacher Guide: 22, 26, 30, 34, 38, 46, 58, 62, 78
42. Write an opinion piece about a topic or text with details to support the opinion, using transitional words and providing a sense of closure.	Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 58, 62, 78 Book Reviews Teacher Guide: 26, 30, 34, 38, 42, 58, 62, 66, 70
43. Write complete sentences demonstrating knowledge of punctuation conventions.	Launching Unit Teacher Guide: 74 Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 42, 74, 85

Grade 2 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
 a. Utilize commas with words in a series in a sentence. b. Use apostrophes to form contractions and possessives. Examples: contractions with am, is, has, not (I'm, she's don't) c. Use punctuation to set off interjections. d. Expand sentences using frequently-occurring conjunctions. Examples: because, so, but 	How-To-Writing Teacher Guide: 38, 42, 74, 84–85 Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 42, 50 Realistic Fiction Teacher Guide: 42, 70, 74 Persona Writing Teacher Guide: 38, 42, 74, 84–85 Book Reviews Teacher Guide: 38, 42, 54, 66, 74, 89
44. With prompting and support, compose and develop a well-organized paragraph with a topic sentence, details to support, and a concluding sentence.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 42 Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 42 Persona Writing Teacher Guide: 46
 46. Gather and use research to answer questions to complete a research product. a. Create topics of interest for a research project. b. Create questions to gather information for a research project. c. Find information from a variety of sources. Examples: books, magazines, newspapers, digital media d. Define plagiarism and explain the importance of using their own words. 	Persona Writing Teacher Guide: 18, 30, 54, 58, 78

2021 Jump Into Writing Grade 3	
Writing Workshop	
Publisher: Zaner-Bloser	Teacher Guides:
	Launching Unit
	Narrative Writing: Personal Narratives
	Informational Writing: Nonfiction Poetry
	Opinion Writing: Persuasive Letters
	Narrative Writing: Modern Fairy Tales
	Informational Writing: Question and Answer Books
	Opinion Writing: Persuasive Essays

Grade 3 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
Writing	
33. Write personal or fictional narratives with a logical plot (sequence of events), characters, transitions, and a sense of closure.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 26, 38, 42, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70, 74
	Modern Fairy Tales Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 62, 66, 70, 74
34. Write informative or explanatory texts about a topic using sources, including an introduction, facts, relevant details with elaboration, and a conclusion.	Nonfiction Poetry Teacher Guide: 26, 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 54, 58 Question and Answer Books Teacher Guide: 34, 38, 42, 48, 54, 58, 62, 66, 74, 78
35. Write an argument to convince the reader to take an action or adopt a position, using an introduction, logical reasoning supported by evidence from various sources, and a conclusion.	Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 78 Persuasive Essays Teacher Guide: 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70
37. Compose simple, compound, and complex sentences with correct	Launching Unit: Teacher Guide: 30
subject-verb agreement.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 18, 66, 70, 74, 86–87
a. Identify and correct sentence fragments and run-on	Nonfiction Poetry Teacher Guide: 62
sentences.	Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 70, 74

Grade 3 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
b. Identify the subject and predicate of a sentence.	Question and Answer Books Teacher Guide: 14, 74 Modern Fairy Tales Teacher Guide: 58, 70, 74 Persuasive Essays Teacher Guide: 34, 62, 70, 74, 84–85
38. Compose and develop a well-organized paragraph with a topic sentence, details to support, and a concluding sentence.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 78 Persuasive Essays Teacher Guide: 50, 88–89 Question and Answer Books Teacher Guide: 86–87
 39. Gather and evaluate information about a topic from a variety of sources, including digital sources, and utilize it to create a project, report, or presentation. a. Avoid plagiarism by using their own words and utilizing digital sources ethically. 	Nonfiction Poetry Teacher Guide: 22, 50 Persuasive Letters Teacher Guide: 38, 42 Question and Answer Books Teacher Guide: 18, 26, 46 Persuasive Essays Teacher Guide: 26

2021 Jump Into Writing Grade 4	
Writing Workshop	
Publisher: Zaner-Bloser	Teacher Guides:
	Launching Unit
	Narrative Writing: Personal Narratives
	Informational Writing: Personal Essays
	Opinion Writing: Op-Ed Writing
	Narrative Writing: Realistic Fiction
	Informational Writing: Alphabet Books
	Opinion Writing: Literary Essays
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Grade 4 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
Writing	
35. Write personal or fictional narratives using a logical plot, transitional words and phrases, sensory details, and dialogue, and providing a sense of closure.	Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70 Realistic Fiction Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70
36. Write informative or explanatory text about a topic using sources, incorporating academic vocabulary, and including an introduction, facts, details with elaboration, and a conclusion.	Personal Essays Teacher Guide: 42, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70, 74 Alphabet Books Teacher Guide: 34, 38, 40, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62
37. Write an argument to persuade the reader to take an action or adopt a position, using an introduction, logical reasoning supported by evidence from relevant sources, and linking words to connect their argument to the evidence.	Op-Ed Writing Teacher Guide: 28, 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66 Literary Essays Teacher Guide: 34, 58, 62, 66, 70
 38. Compose complete sentences with correct subject-verb agreement, punctuation, and usage. a. Order adjectives within sentences according to conventional patterns. 	Launching Unit: 74 Personal Narratives Teacher Guide: 54, 58, 62, 70 Personal Essays Teacher Guide: 66, 74, 78 Op-Ed Writing Teacher Guide: 62, 66, 70, 74, 84–85, 86–87

Grade 4 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
 Example: a small red bag rather than a red small bag b. Form and use prepositional phrases and conjunctions. c. Recognize and correct sentence fragments and run-on sentences. d. Use commas, apostrophes, and quotation marks correctly. e. Use correct capitalization, including familial relations and proper adjectives. f. Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed. 	Realistic Fiction Teacher Guide: 54, 58, 74, 84–85, 86–87 Alphabet Books Teacher Guide: 66, 70, 74, 78, 84–85 Literary Essays Teacher Guide: 70, 74, 78, 88–89
 40. Compose friendly and formal letters using appropriate elements, including date, greeting, body, and a signature. a. Write return address and mailing address in the proper locations on an envelope. 	Students write letters in Jump Into Writing, Grades 2 and 3

2021 Jump Into Writing Grade 5 Writing Workshop	
Publisher: Zaner-Bloser	Teacher Guides: Launching Unit Narrative Writing: Memoir Writing Informational Writing: Research-Based Writing Opinion Writing: Literary Essays Narrative Writing: Fantasy Writing Informational Writing: Biographies Opinion Writing: Persuasive Speeches

Grade 5 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
Writing	
34. Write personal or fictional narratives incorporating literary elements (characters, plot, setting, conflict), dialogue, strong voice, and clear event sequences.	Memoir Writing Teacher Guide: 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66 Fantasy Writing Teacher Guide: 18, 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 66, 70
35. Write informative or explanatory texts using multiple sources to examine a topic, conveying ideas and information clearly and incorporating a strong organizational structure, relevant details, and elaboration.	Research-Based Writing Teacher Guide : 26, 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 70, 78 Biographies Teacher Guide : 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 58, 62, 74
36. Write an argument to persuade the reader to take an action or adopt a position, stating a claim, supporting the claim with relevant evidence from sources, using connectives to link ideas, and presenting a strong conclusion. Examples: first, as a result, therefore, in addition	Literary Essays Teacher Guide: 34, 38, 50, 54, 58, 62 Persuastive Speeches Teacher Guide: 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 48, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66
38. Gather information on a topic or question, and share the results through various modes of writing, including projects and presentations.	Research-Based Writing Teacher Guide: 18, 22, 26, 30, 34, 50, 54, 58, 70, 78

Grade 5 Content Standards	
Standard	Correlation
 a. Locate information in print and digital sources b. Summarize, quote, and paraphrase information in notes and finished work, providing a list of sources. c. Integrate information from several texts on the same topic into presentations of research. 	Biographies Teacher Guide: 10, 88–89 Persuasive Speeches Teacher Guide: 22