



# Arkansas English/Language Arts Frameworks

*Matched to*  
**SkillsTutor & SkillsBanks Language Arts**

## Grade 6<sup>th</sup> Strand: Writing

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### W.4.6.11

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- ***Usage***
- ***Mechanics***

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**W.6.6.3**

**Use compound sentence elements (e.g., subjects, predicates, complements, and complete sentences, etc.) to combine sentences for more effective writing style**

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**W.6.6.5**

**Identify and correct fragments and run-ons**

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**W.6.6.6**

**Use knowledge of the parts of speech to construct effective sentences**

- **Common and proper nouns**
- **Pronouns to avoid repetition**
- **Active and linking verbs**
- **Adjectives to modify nouns and pronouns**
- **Adverbs to modify verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs**
- **Coordinate conjunctions to join**
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**W.6.6.7**

**Apply conventions of grammar with emphasis on the following:**

- **Subject-verb agreement**

- **Parts of speech**
- **Parts of a sentence**
- **Conjugation in perfect verb tenses**
- **Possessive, nominative, and objective pronouns**

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### **W.6.6.11**

#### **Apply conventional rules of punctuation in writing with emphasis on**

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### **W.6.7.4**

**Correct fragments, run-ons, comma splices, and fused sentences**

**Analyze personal and peer *sentence formation* for effective use of the parts of speech**

- **Precise nouns**
- **Pronouns**
- **Active and linking verbs**
- **Adjectives**

- **Adverbs**
- **Conjunctions**
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**W.6.7.6**

**Apply conventions of grammar with emphasis on the following:**

- **Agreement**
- **Parts of speech**
- **Parts of a sentence and *sentence patterns***
- **Conjugation in progressive verb forms**
- **Prepositional phrases as modifiers**
- **Dependent clauses**

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Punctuation: Lesson 14: Quotation Marks to Enclose a Speaker's Words  
Punctuation: Lesson 15: Quotation Marks to Enclose Titles  
Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: The Case of the Missing Keys  
Punctuation: Lesson 16: Commas in Greetings and Closing of Letters  
Punctuation: Lesson 17: Colons After Greetings in Business Letters  
Punctuation: Lesson 18: Semicolons to Connect Independent Clauses  
Punctuation: Lesson 19: Semicolons to Reduce Confusion in Sentences  
Punctuation: Lesson 20: Colons Between Independent Clauses and Series  
Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Deduction: Beat the Computer

### **W.6.7.10**

#### **Use semi-colons and colons in compound and compound-complex sentences**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 17: Colons After Greetings in Business Letters

Punctuation: Lesson 18: Semicolons to Connect Independent Clauses

Punctuation: Lesson 19: Semicolons to Reduce Confusion in Sentences

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Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Deduction: Beat the Computer

### **W.6.7.11**

#### **Use colons in compound and compound-complex sentences and to introduce lists**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 17: Colons After Greetings in Business Letters

Punctuation: Lesson 18: Semicolons to Connect Independent Clauses

Punctuation: Lesson 19: Semicolons to Reduce Confusion in Sentences

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Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Deduction: Beat the Computer

### **W.6.7.12**

#### **Use double and single quotation marks in dialogue**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 6: Commas to Separate Quotations

Punctuation: Lesson 14: Quotation Marks to Enclose a Speaker's Words

Punctuation: Lesson 15: Quotation Marks to Enclose Titles

Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: The Case of the Missing Keys

## **Grade 8<sup>th</sup>**

### **Strand: Writing**

**Standard 4: Students shall employ a wide range of strategies as they write and use different writing process elements appropriately.**

### **W.4.8.10**

**Edit individually or in groups for appropriate grade-level conventions, within the following features:**

- ***Sentence formation***
- ***Usage***
- ***Mechanics***

**Capitalization:**

Capitalization: Lesson 1: First Word in a Sentence

Capitalization: Lesson 2: First Word in a Quotation

Capitalization: Lesson 3: Greetings and Closings in Letters

Capitalization: Lesson 4: Names and Initials of People and Pets

Capitalization: Lesson 5: Names and Buildings, Monuments, Ships, etc.

Capitalization: Lesson 6: Titles of Books, Magazines, Movies, etc.

Capitalization: Lesson 7: Titles of School Courses

Capitalization: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: Helping a Talented Writer

Capitalization: Lesson 8: Proper Adjectives

Capitalization: Lesson 9: The Pronoun "I"

Capitalization: Lesson 10: A Title Preceding a Person's Name

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Capitalization: Lesson 16: Names of Natural Features  
Capitalization: Lesson 17: Names of Calendar Items  
Capitalization: Thinking Skills Lesson: Decision Making: Hiring a Secretary

### **Grammar and Usage:**

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 1: Identifying Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 2: Identifying Subjects  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 3: Complete and Incomplete Sentences  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 4: Difficult Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 5: Difficult Nouns  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: A Television Writer Improves  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 6: Verb Agreement with Subject in Number  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 7: Verb Agreement with Tense of Sentence  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 8: Irregular Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 9: Double Negatives  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 10: Connective Words  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 11: Adjectives and Adverbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 12: Adjectives After State-of-Being and Sense Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 13: Comparatives and Superlatives  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 14: Confusing Adjectives and Adverbs  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Classification: Substituting for the Tutor  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 15: Pronouns as Subjects  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 16: Pronouns as Objects  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 19: Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

### **Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 1: Periods After Sentences  
Punctuation: Lesson 2: Periods After Abbreviations  
Punctuation: Lesson 3: Question Marks  
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Punctuation: Lesson 5: Commas to Separate Items in Lists  
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Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Deduction: Beat the Computer

### **Spelling**

Spelling: Lesson 1: Plurals Formed by Adding S  
Spelling: Lesson 2: Plurals of Nouns Ending in S, X, CH, or SH  
Spelling: Lesson 3: Plurals of Nouns Ending in Consonants and Y  
Spelling: Lesson 4: Plurals of Nouns Ending in Vowels and Y  
Spelling: Lesson 5: Plurals of Nouns Ending in Consonants and O  
Spelling: Lesson 6: Plurals of Nouns Ending in F or FE

Spelling: Lesson 7: Irregular Plurals  
Spelling: Lesson 8: Suffixes After Two Consonants  
Spelling: Lesson 9: Suffixes After Two Vowels and a Consonant  
Spelling: Lesson 10: Vowel Suffixes After a Vowel and a Consonant  
Spelling: Lesson 11: Consonant Suffixes After Silent E  
Spelling: Lesson 12: Vowel Suffixes After Silent E  
Spelling: Lesson 13: Thinking Skills Lesson: Classification: Helping Carlos with Spelling  
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Spelling: Lesson 18: Words Ending in ABLE and IBLE  
Spelling: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: Time Capsule  
Spelling: Lesson 19: Using I Before E  
Spelling: Lesson 20: Using E Before I  
Spelling: Lesson 21: Silent Letters  
Spelling: Lesson 22: Same-Sound Vowels  
Spelling: Thinking Skills Lesson: Abstracting: Teaching a Friend Spelling Rules

**Standard 6: Students shall apply knowledge of Standard English conventions in written work.**

### **W.6.8.2**

**Write more effective sentences by using all compound elements and by *embedding* clauses and prepositional, appositive, and verbal phrases**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 5: Difficult Nouns  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: A Television Writer Improves  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 6: Verb Agreement with Subject in Number  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 10: Connective Words  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 11: Adjectives and Adverbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 12: Adjectives After State-of-Being and Sense Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 13: Comparatives and Superlatives  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 18: Reflexive Forms of Pronouns  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 19: Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

### **W.6.8.3**

**Use clauses and phrases, including verbal, to invert sentence order for emphasis and variety**

**Grammar and Usage:**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 4: Difficult Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 5: Difficult Nouns  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: A Television Writer Improves

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 6: Verb Agreement with Subject in Number  
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Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

#### **W.6.8.4**

#### **Correct fragments, run-ons, comma splices, and fused sentences**

##### **Grammar and Usage:**

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 3: Complete and Incomplete Sentences

#### **W.6.8.5**

#### **Evaluate personal, peer, or literature-based *sentence formation* for effective use of the parts of speech**

- **Precise nouns**
- **Pronouns to avoid repetition**
- **Verbs**
- **Adjectives to modify nouns and pronouns**
- **Adverbs to modify verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs**
- **Conjunctions**
- **Interjections for excitement**
- **Prepositions to indicate relationships**

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### **W.6.8.6**

**Apply conventions of grammar with emphasis on the following:**

- **Subject-verb agreement**
- **Parts of speech**
- **Pronoun and antecedent agreement**
- **Parts of a sentence and *sentence patterns***
- **Conjugation in regular, progressive, and emphatic verb forms**
- **Verbals**

#### **Grammar and Usage:**

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### **W.6.8.7**

**Spell words correctly in all writing**

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### **W.6.8.8**

#### **Apply conventional rules of capitalization in writing**

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### **W.6.8.9**

#### **Apply conventional rules of punctuation in writing**

##### **Punctuation:**

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### **W.6.8.10**

#### **Edit own and peer papers with emphasis on**

- **All end marks**
- **Commas**
- **Dash**

- Hyphen
- Quotation marks
- Parentheses
- Semicolons
- Colons

**Punctuation:**

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## Grade 9<sup>th</sup>

**Standard 4: Students shall employ a wide range of strategies as they write and use different writing process elements appropriately.**

### W.4.9.11

**Apply grammatical conventions to edit for standard inflections, agreement, word meaning, and conventions**

**Grammar and Usage:**

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 Grammar and Usage: Lesson 2: Identifying Subjects  
 Grammar and Usage: Lesson 3: Complete and Incomplete Sentences  
 Grammar and Usage: Lesson 4: Difficult Verbs  
 Grammar and Usage: Lesson 5: Difficult Nouns  
 Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: A Television Writer Improves  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 18: Reflexive Forms of Pronouns  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 19: Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies

## **W.4.9.12**

### **Apply grammatical conventions for capitalization, punctuation, formatting, and spelling**

#### **Capitalization:**

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Spelling: Lesson 8: Suffixes After Two Consonants  
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Spelling: Lesson 10: Vowel Suffixes After a Vowel and a Consonant  
Spelling: Lesson 11: Consonant Suffixes After Silent E  
Spelling: Lesson 12: Vowel Suffixes After Silent E  
Spelling: Lesson 13: Thinking Skills Lesson: Classification: Helping Carlos with Spelling  
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Spelling: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: Time Capsule  
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**Standard 6: Students shall apply knowledge of Standard English conventions in written work.**

### **W.6.9.3**

**Use knowledge of types of verbals (gerunds, infinitives, participles)**

#### **Grammar and Usage:**

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 1: Identifying Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 2: Identifying Subjects  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 3: Complete and Incomplete Sentences  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 4: Difficult Verbs  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 5: Difficult Nouns  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: A Television Writer Improves  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 6: Verb Agreement with Subject in Number  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 7: Verb Agreement with Tense of Sentence  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 8: Irregular Verbs

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 9: Double Negatives  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 10: Connective Words  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 11: Adjectives and Adverbs

#### **W.6.9.4**

**Apply rules for the parts of a sentence, including subject/verb, direct/indirect object, predicate nominative/predicate adjective, objective complement, and pronoun case**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 18: Reflexive Forms of Pronouns  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 19: Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

#### **W.6.9.6**

**Maintain consistent verb tense within a writing product**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 11: Adjectives and Adverbs

#### **W.6.9.7**

**Select appropriate pronouns when writing**

**Capitalization:**

Capitalization: Lesson 9: The Pronoun "I"

**Grammar and Usage:**

Grammar and Usage: Lesson 15: Pronouns as Subjects  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 16: Pronouns as Objects  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 17: Possessive Forms of Pronouns  
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Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

### **W.6.9.8**

#### **Apply conventional spelling to all pieces**

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### **W.6.9.9**

#### **Apply conventional rules of capitalization in writing**

##### **Capitalization:**

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Capitalization: Lesson 17: Names of Calendar Items  
Capitalization: Thinking Skills Lesson: Decision Making: Hiring a Secretary

### **W.6.9.10**

#### **Use commas and semicolons to distinguish and divide main and subordinate clauses**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 5: Commas to Separate Items in Lists  
Punctuation: Lesson 6: Commas to Separate Quotations  
Punctuation: Lesson 7: Commas to Separate Independent Clauses  
Punctuation: Lesson 8: Commas to Separate Introductory Words  
Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Induction: Editing a Reporter's Story  
Punctuation: Lesson 9: Commas to Separate a City and State  
Punctuation: Lesson 10: Commas in Dates  
Punctuation: Lesson 11: Commas to Enclose Interrupting Phrases  
Punctuation: Lesson 18: Semicolons to Connect Independent Clauses  
Punctuation: Lesson 19: Semicolons to Reduce Confusion in Sentences

### **W.6.9.11**

#### **Use colons and dashes effectively in writing**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 17: Colons After Greetings in Business Letters

### **W.6.9.12**

#### **Use punctuation correctly and recognize its effect on sentence structure**

**Punctuation:**

Punctuation: Lesson 1: Periods After Sentences  
Punctuation: Lesson 2: Periods After Abbreviations  
Punctuation: Lesson 3: Question Marks  
Punctuation: Lesson 4: Exclamation Points  
Punctuation: Lesson 5: Commas to Separate Items in Lists  
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Punctuation: Thinking Skills Lesson: Deduction: Beat the Computer

## **Grade 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Standard 4: Students shall employ a wide range of strategies as they write and use different writing process elements appropriately.**

### **W.4.10.10**

**Apply grammatical conventions to edit for standard inflections, agreement, word meaning, and conventions**

**Grammar and Usage:**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 3: Complete and Incomplete Sentences  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 4: Difficult Verbs  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 6: Verb Agreement with Subject in Number  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 8: Irregular Verbs  
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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 18: Reflexive Forms of Pronouns  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 19: Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement  
Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

**W.4.10.11****Apply grammatical conventions for capitalization, punctuation, formatting, and spelling****Capitalization:**

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Capitalization: Thinking Skills Lesson: Decision Making: Hiring a Secretary

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### **W.6.10.1**

**Use verbals and verbal phrases to achieve sentence conciseness and variety**

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Grammar and Usage: Lesson 9: Double Negatives  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 10: Connective Words  
Grammar and Usage: Lesson 11: Adjectives and Adverbs

### **W.6.10.2**

**Apply *usage* rules appropriately in all formal writing**

- **Subject verb agreement**
- **Pronoun agreement**

- **Misplaced modifiers**
- **Pronoun case**
- **Objective complements**

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#### **W.6.10.4**

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## **W.6.10.5**

### **Apply conventional rules of capitalization in writing**

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## **W.6.10.6**

### **Apply the punctuation rules appropriately in writing**

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## **Grade 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Standard 4: Students shall employ a wide range of strategies as they write and use different writing process elements appropriately.**

### **W.4.11.11**

#### **Apply grammatical conventions to edit for standard inflections, agreement, word meaning, and conventions**

##### **Grammar and Usage:**

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Grammar and Usage: Thinking Skills Lesson: Analogies: Completing a Rhyme

### **W.4.11.12**

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### **W.6.11.2**

#### **Apply *usage* rules appropriately in all formal writing**

- **Subject verb agreement**
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- **Misplaced modifiers**
- **Active and passive voice**
- **Indicative and subjunctive mood**

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