

Composition

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Transcription

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Skilled writing

Composition

Organizing and expressing ideas

- **Writing across text types**
Students hone their writing across narrative, descriptive, expository, and persuasive formats.
- **Connecting reading and writing**
Students activate deeper comprehension and express their knowledge through writing.

Knowledge Strand | K–2

Transcription

Laying the foundation

- **Handwriting and spelling**
Students practice writing new sound-spellings as they learn them, building automaticity with the code.
- **Connecting reading and writing**
Students read decodable chapter-books, then write in response to text while practicing sound-spelling patterns.

Skills Strand | K–2

Skilled writing

Constructing meaning

- **Foundational transcription skills combined with creative compositions**
Students' comprehension, critical thinking, and expressions come to life as they confidently express their ideas across various topics and text types.
- **Connecting reading and writing**
Students respond to the text and concepts within the knowledge domain, using authentic writing projects to dig deeper.

Integrated Strand | 3–5