



Proficiency Scale

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GRADE LEVEL: 8 COURSE NAME: ELA
MEASUREMENT TOPIC: DEMONSTRATE CONVENTIONS OF GRAMMAR

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In addition to Score 3, the student makes in-depth inferences and applications.

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- Correctly use punctuation and capitalization in writing.
- Use verbals correctly.
- Use a variety of sentence structures correctly.
- Correct errors in verb usage (subject-verb agreement, active/passive voice, verb moods, tense).

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- Identify verbals (Gerund, Participle, Infinitive)
- Identify sentence structures (Compound, Complex, Compound-Complex)
- Identify errors in capitalization and punctuation
- Identify errors in verb usage (subject-verb agreement, active/passive voice, verb moods, tense).

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With help, a partial understanding of some of the simpler details and processes and some of the more complex ideas and processes.

Key Vocabulary:

mechanics, verbals, infinitive, participle, gerund, active voice, passive voice, sentence structure, simple sentence, compound sentence, complex sentence, compound-complex sentence, verb tense, verb mood, indicative mood, imperative mood, interrogative mood, conditional mood, subjunctive mood