

Goals of DLI:

- introduce one new skill each week
- provide engaging mini-lesson activities for skill introduction
- reinforce previously taught skills and provide a weekly assessment
- take about 10 minutes of instructional time each day, preserving more time for authentic writing tasks
- expose students to a variety of formats found in formal assessments
- align with Common Core State Standards and avoid duplication or gaps in instruction

Highlights:

- 30 weeks of mini-lessons
- 30 weeks of practice tasks
- 30 weeks of assessments
- 30 weeks of spelling lists correlated with weekly skills
- **New!** pre-post assessments at six-week intervals
- editing paragraphs
- multiple-choice items
- proofreading sentences
- new focus skill each week
- short daily items Monday-Thursday
- Friday assessment
- spiraling review of prior skills
- full-sized key for each page
- spelling word bank for differentiation


Each book includes:

- 587 pages
- blackline masters of student pages
- teacher resource section for mini-lessons includes strategies, websites, and original songs to introduce each skill
- full year of teaching materials for writing conventions
- full year of teaching materials for spelling

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Also available:

 The DLI for Smartboards™ CD correlates with the print edition and includes all Day One-Day Four student practice items. This resource provides support for teachers with LCD projectors or interactive whiteboards. It is available for purchase in conjunction with a book. Access the mini-lessons, weekly assessments, pre-post assessments, key, and spelling in the print edition. Learn more about this resource on the website.