



# Daily Language Instruction

## Weekly Focus Skills-Grade 5

Grade 5-2<sup>nd</sup> Edition  
 Δ=New Skills

Week	Focus	Week	Focus
<b>1</b>	Δ Kinds of Sentences/Correct End Marks Δ Strong Interjections Identification of Nouns	<b>16</b>	Δ Sentence Combining: Phrases in a Series Comma use with phrases in a series Plural Noun Review
<b>2</b>	Common and Proper Nouns Introduce: Words Not Capitalized Informational Text Structures	<b>17</b>	Δ Prepositions Δ Sentence Expansion with Prepositional Phrases Δ Commas after Introductory Prepositional Phrases
<b>3</b>	Subject and Predicate Titles: Underlining/ΔItalics/Quotation Marks	<b>18</b> *	Introduce: Conversation Pattern III Interrupted Quotations
<b>4</b>	Action/Linking/Helping Verbs Δ Verb Phrases	<b>19</b>	Δ Poetry Analysis Application of Skills
<b>5</b>	Simple/Compound Subjects Δ Simple/Compound Predicates Δ Sentence Combining: Forming Compound Subjects and Predicates	<b>20</b> *	Δ Compound Sentences-Part I Building Compound Sentences
<b>6</b>	Δ Sentence Fragments/Run-on Sentences	<b>21</b> *	Δ Compound Sentences-Part II Decision: Simple Sentence or Compound Sentence
<b>7</b> *	Conversation- Pattern I Quotation at the End of the Sentence Homophones: your/you're	<b>22</b>	Adverbs Δ Good vs. Well Δ Comparative and Superlative Adverbs
<b>8</b>	Comma Review Introduce appositives +Δ commas with mid-sentence dates and addresses	<b>23</b>	Pronouns Correct Order/Choosing <i>I</i> or <i>Me</i> Δ Pronoun Cases: Subjective/Possessive/Objective Δ Pronoun-Antecedent Agreement
<b>9</b>	Four Reasons to Start a New Paragraph	<b>24</b>	Sentence Combining-Appositives
<b>10</b>	Subject-Verb Agreement Δ Writing Numbers 1-9 in Words Homophones: there/they're/their	<b>25</b>	Δ Either/Or Neither/Nor Review: Contractions
<b>11</b>	Adjectives/Δ Order of Adjectives	<b>26</b>	Δ Commas with Introductory Elements
<b>12</b> *	Comparative and Superlative Adjectives its/it's	<b>27</b> *	Singular and Plural Possessive Nouns
<b>13</b> *	Conversation-Pattern II + Δ Similes Quotation at the Beginning of the Sentence Questions/Exclamations/Statements	<b>28</b>	Capitalization: Introduce Proper Adjectives Review: Organizations/Δ Product Names Review: All Conversation Patterns
<b>14</b>	Consistent Verb Tense Δ Metaphors	<b>29</b>	Δ Review: Sentence Combining Application of strategies introduced in Weeks 16, 20, 21, and 24
<b>15</b> *	Singular Possessive Nouns vs. Plural Nouns	<b>30</b> §	Business Letters/Envelopes (stand alone) Common Abbreviations

\*additional support materials included for these topics § stand alone week to be used any time during the year