Fundamentals of Writing

Employ a recursive writing process that includes planning, drafting, revising, editing, rewriting, publishing, and reflecting. Interact and collaborate with peers and adults to develop and strengthen writing.

Produce writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, discipline, and audience.

Use clear and coherent written language to accomplish a purpose such as learning, enjoyment, argument, and the exchange of information.

Monitor progress throughout the writing process and adjust strategies as needed from independence to collaboration within a writing community.

Incorporate authors' craft techniques observed from wide reading of anchor and mentor texts across disciplines to inform, explain, convince/argue, and entertain.

Definition	Structure	Characteristics
What does it look like?	How can it be implemented?	Actions

Argument

Narrative

Prewriting (brainstorming, outlining, etc.)
Drafting

	Expository	
	Argument	
	Narrative	
	Prewriting (brainstorming,	
	outlining, etc.)	
	Drafting	
	Revision	
	Publishing	

to become independent	
writers.	

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