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# LESSON 22

## Expository Essay

### Edit & Publish



Prewrite

Write

Revise

Edit

Publish

To make your essay better, revise your draft by making sure that...



Each sentence gives **a clear idea**.



The ideas are **in the correct order** and **easy to follow**.




You **sound confident and excited** about your topic.

## Review

## Where were we last time?

◆ In our last class, Alice revised her first draft of her expository essay.

◆ She finished the  step. Now she is going to

 and .



I can teach you how to grow a flower.  
you need a <sup>clay</sup> pot, some potting soil, and a flower seed. <sup>Then just follow the steps.</sup> you also need water and sunlight.

First,

<sup>^</sup> Put some potting soil in a clay pot. Next, make a little hole in the dirt. <sup>Drop a flower seed into the hole.</sup> Plant a seed. Cover it up with dirt. Now put the pot near a sunny window.

Then give the seed a little water every day. Soon, a tiny, green plant will grow. Be sure it gets sunlight and water. <sup>Finally,</sup> <sup>^</sup> A pretty flower will bloom.



Today we'll learn...

# The Writing Process of an Expository Essay

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When you edit, you check your writing conventions.



### Conventions

Check:

- ☒ Are all the **capital letters** used correctly? ≡
- ☒ Did you use the **punctuation** correctly? ⊙
- ☒ Did you **spell your words** correctly? ○



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Check the **capital letters** first.  
Mark out the mistakes.

☒ Capital letters     



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Then just follow Y the steps.

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Then check the **punctuation**.  
Mark out the mistakes.

☒ End marks 





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Lastly, check the **spelling**.  
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Spelling





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Thank you for  
your help!



## Let's Do

Edit the paragraph by checking conventions.

I like fishing because it is relexing and challengeing. i get to enjoy the calm and peaceful enviroment also, it is great to feel the rush of excitment when catching a big one.



☒ Capital letters ≡

☒ End marks ○

☒ Spelling ○





I like fishing because it is **relaxing** and **challenging**. **challengeing** i get to enjoy the calm and peaceful enviroment **A** also, it is great to feel the rush of **excitement** **excitment** when catching a big one.



✓ Capital letters ≡

✓ End marks ○

✓ Spelling ○



### How to Grow a Flower

Indent each paragraph

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- ..... I like growing flowers because they are pretty. It is fun to watch them grow. When they bloom, I pick them for my mom.

A Good Title

A neat copy without mistakes







I can teach you how to fish. You need some equipment like a fishing rod, line, hook, bait, and bucket. You also need to find a fishing spot.

First, prepare your equipment. Next, find a good fishing spot. Now bait your hook. Quickly pull the line and then remove the fish from the hook. Finally, put your fish in the bucket. If the fish is still young, you may release it back in the water.

I like fishing because it is relaxing and challenging. I get to enjoy the calm and peaceful environment. Also, it is great to feel the rush of excitement when catching a big one.



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When you **edit**, check that:

- ☒ Are all the **capital letters** used correctly?
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When we **publish** an essay:

- ☒ Give it a good title.
- ☒ Indent each paragraph.
- ☒ Make a neat final copy without mistakes.

**Important Notice:**

Please bring your homework essay [worksheet Page 21] to the class next time.

