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SOURCE

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# LESSON 4

## A Writer's Process

Edit & Publish



Prewrite

Write

Revise

Edit

Publish

We can use these skills to revise and make the writing better.

CUT OFF

MOVE

ADD

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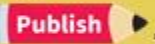




## Review

## Where were we last time?

In our last lesson:

- Alice **revised** her first draft by adding, cutting off, and moving the details.
- She finished the  step. Now she is going to  .



### Alice's Revising of the Draft

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Today we'll learn...

# One Writer's Writing Process

## Edit & Publish





Alice revised her draft.  
Now Please help her edit it!

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Help Alice mark out the mistakes with provided marks.

## Step 2: Check



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☒ End marks ○

☒ Spelling ○

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Check how Alice marked out and corrected the mistakes.

### Step 3: Change



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**Alice made a neat copy of all the changes.**

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Do you think it's ready to be published?





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2 **Skip a line.**

4 **Copy all the corrected sentences.**

 Edit

Saturday is the best day of the week. My family and I have breakfast together. sometimes we have pancakes. Other times we have breakfast burritos. Then we might go shop. Some Saturdays we go to the park to play basketball around. I love Saturdays

 Publish

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