

Answer Key

Chapter 1: Why We Write

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| 1. argues | 15. separate |
| 3. (Answers will vary.) | 17. The late rush hour traffic crawled slower than a herd of snails. |
| 5. Recently, I read a book that had a similar subject to the article because it was about the history of soccer. | 19. Additionally, Caribbean poetry is more beautiful than British or American poetry. |
| 7. Stories like this one shine a light on an essential truth: we must do more to understand those with mental health issues, and we must spend more tax money on accessible mental health care. | 21. one trend that illustrates the new wave of health consciousness sweeping the nation |
| 9. I didn't care for several of the characters, particularly the cousin. | 23. His lips turned blue, and his body stiffened. As he ran down the street, he was still careful to avoid the melted puddles and gray slush. |
| 11. In a community where most members lack the funds to purchase healthy food, a not-for-profit community vegetable garden will fill bellies and hearts. | 25. Cost
Amenities
Location |
| 13. Prominent thinkers of this period include writers and philosophers like Rousseau, Voltaire, and Descartes, who each made contributions that still shape modern society. | 27. Assessment |

Chapter 2: Modes of Writing

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| 1. She rested her head in her age-spotted hands and closed her tired eyes, the shrill voices growing distant with each of her meditative breaths. | 11. What new evidence can I provide for my readers? |
| 3. Sight | 13. Order of importance |
| 5. News of the last-minute delay flabbergasted the journalism community. | 15. Leonard Cohen once said, "When things get bad, you just raise your glass and stamp your feet and do a little jig, and that's about all you can do." |
| 7. One year from now, I will make the decision to jump on a plane and move across the country. | 17. You seem more collected today than you did yesterday. |
| 9. Joe should describe Kenyan Walters reflecting on the day he decided to become a farmer and considering how this journey impacted him. | 19. Fact |

Chapter 3: The Writing Process

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| 1. Free-writing | 15. Music classes can expose students to a wide range of genres, and she might even discover a new favorite song or artist. |
| 3. Begin developing a detailed outline. | 17. Fix tone. |
| 5. I sometimes wondered how the evolution of late-night television started and how the public compared the hosts to one another. | 19. Avoid being defensive if her reviewer has criticisms. |
| 7. According to the American Psychological Association, about 40% of married couples end up divorcing (2019). | 21. The smooth wood contributed to the overall price of the handcrafted table. |
| 9. Navigating the tech world is a tricky experience that should be approached with plenty of market research, preparation, and self-assessment of personal computer needs. | 23. Few women in literature have become as infamous as Medea, Greek mythology depicts her as the anti-woman. |
| 11. A basic chicken casserole contains chicken, carrots, peas, and gravy. | 25. Some people fear retribution by the government or their workplace others wish to continue providing information. |
| 13. Getting involved in various aspects of college life is a really good thing. | 27. Karin |
| | 29. Choosing a layout and design |

Chapter 4: Parts of the Essay

- Once you have finished a complete draft, you should go through and revise for content and organization. Once you have a good idea of your narrowed topic and how to support your main idea, you can start drafting.
- Cause and effect
- The true meaning of integrity
- However, an iPhone snapshot is still wildly simpler than professional photography, which requires extensive training, camera operation knowledge, and editing software prowess.
- A concise introduction to the topic and its relevance to the audience
- The holiday season is a difficult time for people dealing with emotional struggles because it puts pressure on them to act or feel happier than they are, and that pressure can feel magnified when surrounded by cheerful friends and family.
- Having children is a serious commitment, and those who seek to start a family should first consider the financial, emotional, and physical demands of parenting.
- Identify a specific method of making Spanish instruction widely accessible
Provide specific reasons why it is important for everyone to learn Spanish
- Hamlet experiences nearly all five stages of grief, a concept explained in modern psychology by Elizabeth Kübler-Ross.
Hamlet's overwhelming depression leads him to question everything he believes in, including his religion.
Hamlet was first performed in 1602, which shows that even four hundred years ago, Shakespeare was familiar with the human psyche.
- There has been great debate over the legacy of America's fortieth president, Ronald Reagan.
- Although Steven stopped to speak with a coworker after the meeting, he was still able to make his lunch date.
- Inevitably, the felon received a prison sentence for her crime.
- On the other hand
- Conjecturing what's to come
- However, he has not made his own stance or argument clear.

Chapter 5: Reading & Rhetoric

- In class, Devorah organized her notes into a topic outline.
In her next class, she decided to use abbreviations instead.
- Write down the main ideas from the chapter.
- Identity
- Horror movies
- Compare and contrast
- Highlight all key terms in blue.
- To reflect
- without a real sense of purpose, feeling like life has passed her by
- Appeal to *ethos*
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- Critical
- All inland bodies of water contain saltwater.
- Rhoda has a part-time job at a grocery store a few miles away.
- Straw man fallacy
- What makes someone or something believable
- While it is scientifically sound, it does not discuss the nursing topic that Michael is researching.
- First, she showed a magazine advertisement for gluten-free pasta that featured a doctor in a lab coat wearing a nametag that read "Nutritionist."
- Argument
- Third-person omniscient point of view
- Metaphor

Chapter 6: Writing & Rhetoric

- This scenario represents an argument.
- Expert analysis
- To respond
- A discussion of key events that occurred leading up to the battle and during it
An explanation of why the battle is considered a turning point in the Civil War
- Situational constraints
- Lebron James is equally important to the NBA as Michael Jordan based on the testimony of a professional basketball player and two sports journalists.
- Recognizing the complexity of an issue
- Neutral
- ethics class
- The budding artist works hard and practices drawing almost daily.

21. Missy felt most energized and invigorated when she visited New York City; having grown up in the countryside, she felt that the city was full of excitement and activity.
23. Exhausted, he headed into the testing center at 8:00 a.m.
25. was
27. Some critics agree with this surface-level assumption that Joe is satisfied with his life, social status, class standing, and the success of everyone around him; however, through analyzing Joe's dialogue, interactions, and narration from Pip's point of view, Joe's character is not so satisfied.
29. Psychoanalytic criticism

Chapter 7: Research

1. Ali is demonstrating the strongest information literacy skills.
3. accuracy
5. He changed one or two words so that it wasn't identical to the original.
7. An article from the *International Journal of Cardiovascular Research*
9. The library
Online research databases
Academic journals
11. (Answers will vary.)
13. Ben Carson, Secretary of U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD)
15. A chemistry professor with expertise and credentials in the pharmaceutical field
17. It should provide the author's name in a signal phrase or in-text citation.
19. While explaining how perspective works, Jermaine Mendez marvels at how "we rarely stop to consider how amazing our basic perceptions of the world are" (213).
21. Paraphrasing
23. Evaluates
25. The results of the study, however, could be interpreted positively, according to lead researcher Melanie Markle (Jackson et al. 155).
27. Stevens proves this theory is true in multiple experiments (320).
However, in her 2018 book, Higgins states that "whoever believed gunpowder and butter could function the same way should have never been given a chemistry degree" (253).
29. McMahon, C. (2019). *The psychology of social media*. Routledge. 201–212.
31. Yes, this in-text citation is written correctly.
33. Δ "You have enemies? Good. That means you've stood up for something, sometime in your life," Δ claimed Winston Churchill. ▲
35. Hammond
2016

Chapter 8: Writing beyond the English Classroom

1. Still, she is concerned that this committee might assume her political viewpoints and initiatives could influence her findings.
3. Incorporate primary and secondary source information
5. Even for college graduates, the job market is difficult to enter.
7. (Answers will vary.) This poster seems to serve as propaganda to support British military recruitment by asking women to encourage and support their men going to war. The composition, context, and design of the visual insinuate that women's civic duty is to stay behind and care for the family while their husbands fight and die for England.
9. Jesse needed a better organizational structure for his speech so that the audience could more easily follow the progression of his ideas.
11. He flattened his palms together and made slicing motions in the air while discussing the seven steps for successful tomato cultivation.
He waved his hands in alternating circular motions while discussing crop rotation.
13. This is inappropriate social media etiquette.
15. Pablo should be more careful about what he posts on social media because it could give potential employers a negative impression.
17. User manual for a hairdryer
Lab report
19. Clear, easy-to-read formatting
Concise summary of complex processes or instructions
21. Cover letter
E-mail to a human resources manager

23. Your full name and contact information
Reverse-chronological job history (beginning with present or most recent job)
Education history
25. Kam is practicing effective multimedia design.
27. Slideshow of product images with background music playing
29. How well the washing machine cleans clothes
31. What conflicts do the characters encounter?
What genre(s) does this movie align with?
Does the movie seem to express social or political messages?

Chapter 9: Basics of Grammar & Mechanics

1. bring
3. Demonstrative
5. Mrs. Jackson
National Geographic
Tallinn, Estonia
Mexico
7. Rain fell like a curtain
9. While they waited for help
Though he had a map on his phone
11. Pizza, the breakfast of champions, is 50% off at Domino's today.
13. After an introductory prepositional phrase
15. The new apartments, which are located downtown, are much more ornate than the plain, unexciting office buildings nearby.
17. No, the colon is used incorrectly.
19. After the explosion, Ali contacted the police officer; he knew an investigation commenced thanks to his connection.
21. Robert W. McChesney warns the public of this corrupt process in his article "The Money Media Election Complex."
23. Brackets
25. The article claims that "comfort foods provide psychological comfort by evoking positive memories (usually from childhood [defined as age 0 to 12]) and producing a comforting feeling of happiness or joy" (Wexler 46).
This is because "making connections between [any particular food] and a happy memory is a personal, individualized process," Wexler explained (47).

Chapter 10: Grammatical Sentences

1. Because she has a sweet tooth.
3. Sometimes, Julius found cars at the junkyard he'd take them apart and put them back together.
After high school, he helped open an auto repair shop it later became the best one in town.
5. My favorite of all the seasons are autumn.
7. Miguel
9. they
11. When she took language classes in college, they were amazed by her fluency.
13. She brought her notebook and a few snacks on the plane with her, filled with doodles.
15. Jammed tightly in the lock
17. Commuters waited impatiently on the platform. Suddenly, headlights appeared in the distance. Everyone breathed a collective sigh of relief.
19. He stayed up late, looking for new artists.
21. Curiosity will test the Martian rocks and soil for water and organic chemicals.
23. or
25. He once fought a world champion boxer he didn't win but he got a lot of recognition in his town.
27. Beethoven is regarded as one of the best classical composers in history, his works have influenced countless authors, historians, and artists.