

CraftPlus® K-8 Writing Curriculum Overview: Grade-Level Genre Map

Genre/Form	Grade								
	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
Personal Information/ Experience	X	X	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Description	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Informational Expository	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Literature Response	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Letter			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Personal Narrative			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Procedural, How-To			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Opinion	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Fictional Narrative				X	X	X	X	X	X
Comparison			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Persuasion					X	X	X	X	X
<i>Optional:</i> Poetry (associated with descriptive writing)			X	X	X	X	X	X	X

*Skills for kindergartners do not include the formal assessment week. Instead, skills are introduced along a developmentally appropriate continuum to coincide with overall literacy learning.