

NAPLAN Writing Success

Here's what you get!

Resource Packs and Video Guides

Your road map to helping students approach NAPLAN with confidence!



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Congratulations! You've unlocked your road map to NAPLAN writing success. The good news is that as a Seven Steps teacher, you have already started laying solid foundations for your students. These videos and resources will help you build on that foundation and set your students up for success in the NAPLAN writing task.

How to use this page:

It's easy! Watch the short Video Guides below, then download the accompanying Resource Packs to get started. We recommend you bookmark this page so you can quickly access everything you need in the lead-up to NAPLAN.

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Part 1: Learn the Seven Steps Approach to NAPLAN



Part 1: Our Approach

Our approach to NAPLAN preparation does not involve teaching to the test. Instead, we will show you how to revise the core Seven Steps techniques and equip your students with the skills they need to tackle the writing test with confidence.

We will focus on the core structural Steps:

- Step 1: Plan for Success
- Step 2: Sizing Starts
- Step 3: Tightening Tension
- Step 7: Exciting Endings/Endings with Impact

In this video, you'll find out how these Steps align with the NAPLAN marking criteria and why revising these techniques with students in the lead-up to NAPLAN will make the biggest difference to their results.

Your downloadable Teacher Notes* include:

- An overview of what's covered in each part of this series
- Useful reference tables on NAPLAN and the Seven Steps
- Two 4-week revision plans – one for narrative and one for Persuasive.

Narrative Teacher Notes - download here

Persuasive Teacher Notes - download here

Part 2: How to Use the Resource Packs



Part 2: Resource Packs

You'll find everything you need to revise each of the core structural Steps with your students in the downloadable Resource Packs below. This video outlines how the ready-to-go resources in each pack are structured using the LEARN framework:

- Link
- Establish
- Achieve
- Review
- Next

We use the Step 1: Plan for Success Resource Pack for demonstration purposes here, but each pack works in the same way.

Your ready-to-go Resource Packs:

Your licence* to the NAPLAN Writing Success series gives you access to the below eight Resource Packs. Each one contains:

- editable Classroom PowerPoints
- printable slides with lesson notes
- Student Resources
- Student Certificate.

These are perfect for NAPLAN preparation, as well as just overall great revision lessons for your writing classroom!

Narrative Resource Packs	Persuasive Resource Packs
Step 1: Plan for Success - download here	Step 1: Plan for Success - download here
Step 2: Sizing Start - download here	Step 2: Sizing Start - download here
Step 3: Tightening Tension - download here	Step 3: Tightening Tension - download here
Step 7: Exciting Endings - download here	Step 7: Ending with Impact - download here

Part 1 Video Guide: Our Approach

See how the core structural Steps align with the NAPLAN marking criteria for writing, and learn our recommended approach for fun and effective preparation.

Part 2 Video Guide: Resource Packs

We explain the thinking and structure behind the resources, as well as showing you how to use them in your classroom.

Teacher Notes

Explore detailed reference tables on NAPLAN and the Seven Steps. Plus, there's an overview of the LEARN framework, which underpins the Resource Packs.

Resource Packs

Here, you'll find Classroom PowerPoints, lesson notes, Student Resources and certificates for each of the core structural Steps to revise and prepare for NAPLAN.

