



**Mastery Writing develops students' ability to compose extended pieces of writing with accuracy, clarity and self-expression. Each lesson is broken down into two parts: first, students practise key grammatical concepts. Then they apply these concepts in creative extended writing tasks.**

Students can work through the Mastery Writing Self-study Workbook independently or with parental supervision. The booklet provides them with an hour's worth of content per lesson. The resources are suitable for any key stage 3 student.

### What is in the student workbook?



- ✓ There are ten Mastery Writing lessons for students to complete.
- ✓ Each lesson features four grammar activities and one extended narrative writing task.
- ✓ Students answer grammar tasks in the booklet and extended writing on lined paper.
- ✓ There is a separate answer booklet for students to use to check their answers.

### How do students use the workbook?

- ✓ Each task provides the grammatical rule and instructions on how it should be completed.
- ✓ Students can write their answers in the correct space in the booklet.
- ✓ It should take around 10 – 15 minutes to complete the grammar tasks.
- ✓ We suggest students spend a minimum of 30 minutes on the creative writing task – this can include research, planning, composing, and reviewing their writing.



### How can I mark students' work?



- ✓ We'll be releasing an answer booklet for students and parents to self-mark the grammar activities.
- ✓ We ask students to focus on Mastery Checks for their writing task: this ensures they focus their composition and proofing on the grammatical concepts they practised in the grammar activities.
- ✓ You may wish to ask students to upload some of their creative extended writing pieces onto your school's VLE, or invite students to email them to you directly.

