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7 Writing about the Future	7.1 Do you have the correct form with will or may?7.2 Do you have the correct future form?	Verbs Frequently Used with May be include provide find lead result have need seem help	Descriptive: Doctors' Appointments in the Future Cause–Effect: The Dangers of Plastic Garbage in the Oceans
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10 Writing with Modals	10.1 Is the form of the modal correct? 10.2 Do you need a modal? 10.3 Is it the correct modal?	Verbs Frequently Used with Can be lead see do make take have provide use help	Process: How to Start a Community Garden Cause–Effect: Dangers of Medicines for Babies
11 Using Simple Sentences	11.1 Is there a complete verb form?11.2 Is there a subject?11.3 Do you have the correct punctuation for items in a series?11.4 Is there a comma after an introductory phrase?	Words from the Academic Word List (Sublist 2) affect focus categories previous complex primary consequences region design strategies	Descriptive: The Valuable and Spicy Chili Pepper Descriptive: Results of Commuting Survey
12 Using Compound Sentences	12.1 Is there a coordinating conjunction? 12.2 Is a comma missing? 12.3 Can you use a compound sentence? 12.4 Does the sentence begin with a coordinating conjunction?	Words from the Academic Word List (Sublist 3) document negative sequence initial outcomes sufficient instance removed task location	Descriptive: The Science Behind a Roller Coaster Descriptive: The FIFA World Cup
13 Writing with Adjectives	13.1 Is the adjective in the correct position? 13.2 Is the adjective correct? 13.3 Is the comparative form correct?	Frequently Used Adjectives different new public high other significant important political social international	Narrative (Science Report): The Effect of Sunlight on Plant Growth Comparison: Alligators and Crocodiles
14 Writing with Articles	14.1 Do you use <i>a/an/the</i> correctly? 14.2 Do you use <i>a/an</i> with a non- count noun? 14.3 Do you need <i>the</i> ?	Nouns Frequently Used with An attempt explanation object effort increase opportunity element instrument overview examination	Descriptive: <i>Pearls</i> Definition: <i>Farming for Fish</i>
15 Writing with Adverbs	 15.1 Do you use the adverb form of the word? 15.2 Is the adverb of manner in the correct position? 15.3 Is the frequency adverb in the correct position? 15.4 Is the adverb of degree correct and in the correct position? 	Adverbs Frequently Used with Very carefully likely recently clearly often slowly closely quickly well far	Opinion: Kevin Durant: A True Sportsman Process: Collecting Water from Air