

Student Guide for Use of *Connect Writing* in Writing Skills III

Connect Writing is an online program with additional practice in sentence skills and other helpful features to support your learning in this course. Once you create your own account and join an established class, you can begin by taking a diagnostic test that measures your knowledge of grammar and mechanics. The program will generate an individual learning plan with a list of areas you have already mastered and ones in which you need more improvement. Your teacher will inform you if there are additional activities and assignments for you to do.

To Register

1. To begin go to <http://www.mhconnectenglish.com>
2. Click on Connect Writing on the right-hand side of the screen
3. Click on “First-time Registration” in the upper left-hand corner
4. Next, enter your registration code that came with your textbook, or that your teacher supplied to you, and click “Submit”
5. Fill in your information, making note of your username (e-mail address) and password. Then click “Create Account”
6. Enter the “Class Code” given to you by your instructor, and then click the “Join Class” button. If your teacher did not create a separate class, you can study on your own by joining the “CCC Writing 3” class.
7. Confirm that you have been added to the correct class and click “Proceed to Contents”
8. At your Connect homepage you can access your assignments, learning plan, grades, and other resources provided by your instructor. Start by clicking any of the assignment titles displayed on the list.

Don't forget to bookmark the URL!

To Log In

1. Go to www.mhconnectenglish.com
2. Enter your email and password and click on “Log In.”

If you forget your log in information, click on “Forgot your log-in information?” Enter your email address and click on “Request Password.” Your password will be sent to your email. If you ever want to change your log-in information, click on “Settings” (in the upper right of the screen) from your Home page once you have logged in. You can change your email or your password or both.

To Access other features

You can access an online User Guide by clicking on “Learn More” under “Help” on the right side of your home screen. Then, choose the topic you have a question about from the User Guide Table of Contents on the left side of the Help page. Find out how to view and complete assignments, follow your learning plan, read comments on your writing from your teacher or peers, find extra practice, create your own notebook, and communicate through the message center. You can get online technical support and online tutoring help, too.