

NEW!

for Grades 6–8

Streamline Grammar Practice

Grammar Workshop™, Gr. 6–8, prepares students to communicate clearly and correctly through explicit instruction, scaffolded practice, and immediate application of skills. Students learn grammatical concepts in a supported and logical sequence of structured lessons—Learn, Practice, and Write—to help them apply their knowledge of language in their writing.

LEARN

Lesson 10: Pronoun Agreement

Each pronoun you use should agree with its **antecedent**, the word to which the pronoun refers.

Tasha finished **her** history project early.
[singular antecedent and singular pronoun]

The other **students** were making **their** posters.
[plural antecedent and plural pronoun]

When two or more antecedents are joined by **and**, use a plural pronoun.

Mrs. O'Hara and **Mr. Santos** took **their** classes to the gym.

When two or more singular antecedents are joined by **or** or **not**, use a singular pronoun.

Either **Tasha** or **Nicole** will present **her** speech first.

Pay attention to agreement in sentences with **indefinite pronouns**. Some indefinite pronouns are always singular, and some are always plural.

SINGULAR **Neither** of the boys rushed **his** presentation.
PLURAL **Many** of the students ended **their** speeches well.

When the antecedent of a singular indefinite pronoun includes both males and females, use **his** or **her**, or rewrite the sentence.

INCORRECT **Everyone** should gather **their** materials.
CORRECT **Everyone** should gather **his** or **her** materials.
CORRECT **All students** should gather **their** materials.

Depending on the word they refer to, the indefinite pronouns **all**, **any**, **most**, and **some** can be singular or plural.

SINGULAR **Some** of the **cake** was left in its box.
PLURAL **Some** of the **students** ate **their** lunches.

Intensive pronouns are personal pronouns that end in **-self** (singular) or **-selves** (plural) and are used to add emphasis.

Mia herself wrote the speech.

Some Singular Indefinite Pronouns

anybody	neither
anyone	nobody
each	no one
either	one
everybody	somebody
everyone	someone

Plural Indefinite Pronouns

both	many
few	several

Writing HINT

Avoid confusing pronoun references. Replace a pronoun whose antecedent is unclear with a noun or noun phrase.

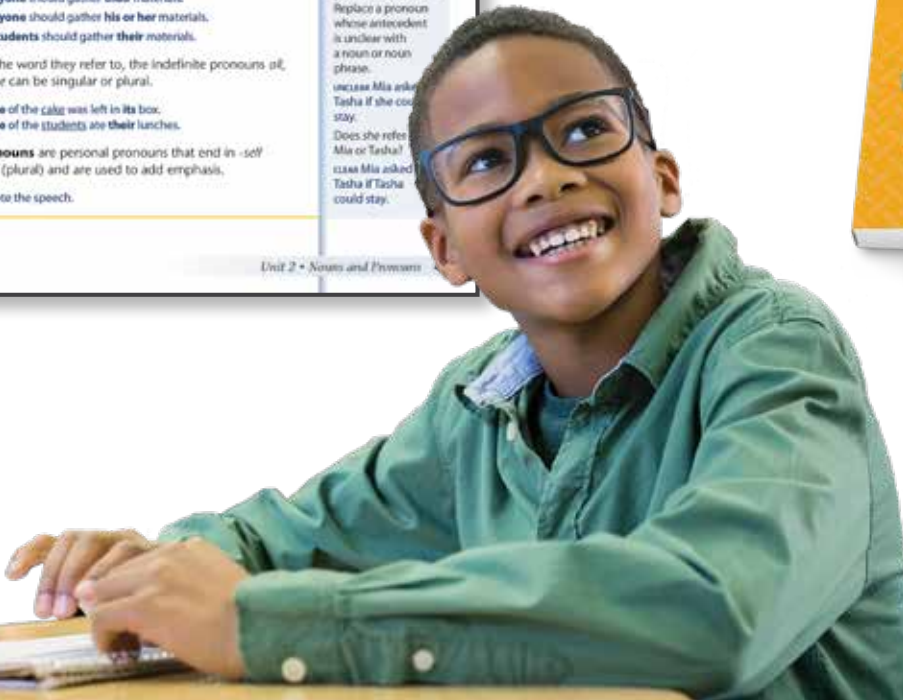
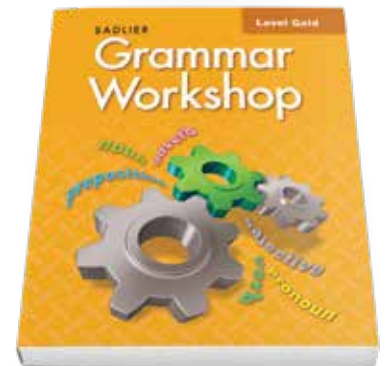
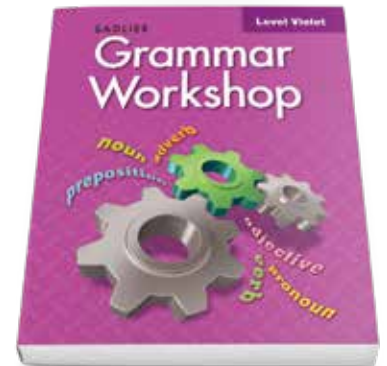
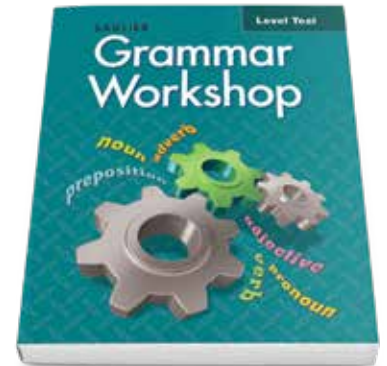
INCLEAR Mia asked Tasha if she could stay.
Does she refer to Mia or Tasha?
CLAR Mia asked Tasha if Tasha could stay.

Unit 2 • Nouns and Pronouns

Lessons focus on core grammar topics.

Boldfaced lesson vocabulary defines key academic terms.

Writing Hint offers tips related to the lesson.



Build Grammar Skills with Focus and Flexibility

All Practice exercises are targeted and scaffolded to develop each skill. Literary models help students analyze professional writing and activities offer students an opportunity to apply what they have learned in response to grade-appropriate writing prompts.

PRACTICE

Grade 6, Student Edition

WRITE

Grade 6, Student Edition

Write Your Own encourages students to apply what they learned by writing short passages based on an engaging writing prompt.

Proofreading Checklists are shorter, quick references of the Proofreading Checklist resource for students to use while completing writing assignments.

GRADES 6-8	STUDENT EDITION *		ANNOTATED TEACHER'S EDITION	
	ISBN	ITEM No.	ISBN	ITEM No.
6	978-1-4217-0136-3	0136-3	978-1-4217-0146-2	0146-2
7	978-1-4217-0137-0	0137-0	978-1-4217-0147-9	0147-9
8	978-1-4217-0138-7	0138-7	978-1-4217-0148-6	0148-6

GRADES 6-8	STUDENT EDITION eBook ▼◆		TEACHER'S EDITION eBook	
	1-yr seat license per user, minimum purchase 20 users†		1-yr seat license per user	
	ISBN	ITEM No.	ISBN	ITEM No.
6	978-1-4217-0156-1	0156-1	978-1-4217-0166-0	0166-0
7	978-1-4217-0157-8	0157-8	978-1-4217-0167-7	0167-7
8	978-1-4217-0158-5	0158-5	978-1-4217-0168-4	0168-4

* Also available as an eBook. ▼ Also available as a downloadable eBook.
 † Quantities for digital licenses must include all user types (i.e., administrators, teachers, and students) needing to access the content.

Learn more and request a sample at
www.SadlierSchool.com/GW6-8

Grade 6, Teacher's Edition

Guidance for differentiating instruction for striving and ELL learners is in every lesson.

Contact your local Sadlier Educational Consultant
www.SadlierSchool.com/FindMyRep

ORDER ONLINE www.SchoolStore.Sadlier.com
 EMAIL CustomerService@Sadlier.com
 PHONE 800-221-5175
 FAX 212-312-6080