

## Writer's Workbench

## For Networked Writing Labs and Stand-Alone Computers



## Better Student Writers through Instructional Computer Feedback

- Writer's Workbench provides immediate, accurate, instructional feedback directly to writers as they write and revise their compositions in Microsoft® Word.
- Student writers enjoy the assurance that their compositions are error-free before turning them in.
- If WWB finds errors in the students' compositions, it directs student writers to make appropriate changes in a manner that teaches them how to avoid future errors.
- Students click the Analysis Programs button to get this menu, which asks students what feedback they would like to receive about their composition. Then, they click on the button for the desired program set to run the analyses.
- Writer's Workbench groups and positions analyses in order from Content to Punctuation, including Style Characteristics, Verbs, Clarity, and Words. The **Assessment Scores** guides writers to other analyses that will help improve their compositions.
- A few seconds after a student clicks on the button to initiate the program, an analysis appears in the screen to the right of the student's composition providing feedback and suggestions on how to revise his or her composition.
- Students go back-and-forth between the analysis and their compositions as they interpret feedback provided by Writer's Workbench and revise their compositions.
- STEPS exercises describe the information provided in analyses and, in a two-column presentation, provide instruction in the left column and activities / exercises in the right column. These instructional programs prepare the student to identify whether or not revisions are needed and enable the student to make revisions.

## FREE TRIAL PROGRAM

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