

# Elementary English Lesson Plan

Grades 3-6

<p>Overview</p>	<p>Posterous can be utilized as a writing portfolio over an entire year. Students could be required to post their writing assignments throughout the year to their own Posterous page. Having all of the year's assignments in one place would provide a high organizational value to both the teacher and students. Also, students will be able to look back and see how their writing skills develop over time.</p>
<p>Objective</p>	<p>Students will post regular assignments in one place and have the ability to see past work in hopes to make changes to improve their writing skills</p>
<p>Standards</p>	<p><b>Standard 4: WRITING: Process</b> The writing process includes prewriting, drafting, editing, and revising. Students progress through these stages to write clear, coherent, and focused paragraphs and essays.</p> <p><b>Standard 6: WRITING: English Language Conventions</b> Conventions include the grade-level-appropriate mechanics of writing, such as penmanship, spelling, grammar, capitalization, punctuation, sentence structure, and manuscript form.</p>
<p>Materials</p>	<p>Computer, Internet access</p>
<p>Procedure</p>	<p>Each student would be required to create their own Posterous. The teacher can then assign the class topics to post about, such as journal entries, book reports, or narratives. Students will submit all their work to one place and can review their progress and growth in writing skills.</p>
<p>Evaluation</p>	<p>The instructor can easily check each student's blog to see if he or she has submitted a post by the deadline. They can then evaluate the content easily from wherever they are.</p>

