

Snippety Grammar 4 Editing STAARs

Control at the word and sentence level is necessary for control at the paragraph and essay level.

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with Alice Nine, Radisson Airport Hotel, El Paso, Texas

- 8:00-8:30 WELCOME
Business & Introductions
A paradigm shift
- 8:30-11:30 MORNING SESSION
STAAR -- Blueprint, Raw Scores, Tested TEKS,
Revising vs. Editing and Test-taking
Editing strategies - 50% of test score based on editing
C: Capitals -- proper
U: Usage -- confusing words, verbs, comparative forms
subject-verb agreement -- sort & match
P: Punctuation -- apostrophe test, commas
Sentence boundaries -- *Frog Run-Ons*
S: Spelling -- rules: ie/ei; adding a suffix that begins with vowel
vowel digraphs, r-controlled syllables, final stable syllables
- 11:30-12:30 LUNCH
- 12:30-3:00 AFTERNOON SESSION
What is a sentence? -- *AW vs. CT*
Tactical Sentence Instruction (TSI)
- 3:00-3:30 WRAP-UP

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