

IXL Winter Adventures



7TH GRADE ELA

Keep up the studying this season with IXL Winter Adventures! Set out on a journey through language arts with 20 days of skills and activities, each with its own fun theme.

Tip: To quickly find each skill, type the three-character skill ID into the search bar at the top left of the page on IXL!

Day 1	Fixer-upper	Match problems with their solutions (BHK) <hr/> Correct errors in everyday use (JZA)
Day 2	The real deal	Use the Real-Time Diagnostic for 20 minutes.
Day 3	Wrong place, wrong time	Misplaced modifiers with pictures (J89) <hr/> Identify and correct inappropriate shifts in verb tense (74U)
Day 4	Dare to compare	Compare passages for tone (6RG) <hr/> Compare illustrations of literary and historical subjects (DJG)
Day 5	A story to tell	Determine the themes of short stories (QQS) <hr/> Activity: Write a story about someone who overcomes a challenge. Be sure your story has a clear theme!
Day 6	Writing on the wall	Pick two skills from your Recommendations wall to practice!

Day 7	Go figure!	Interpret figures of speech (D9X) <hr/> Use personification (UBQ)
Day 8	Dear diary	Analyze passages from <i>Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl: Part 1</i> (38P) <hr/> Activity: Choose a moment in your life to write about. Include details about your thoughts and feelings, as well as what was going on around you.
Day 9	Better together	Combine sentences using relative clauses (55A) <hr/> Transitions with conjunctive adverbs (8BF)
Day 10	Signs and shapes	Correct errors with signs (LW8) <hr/> Read graphic organizers (XKV)
Day 11	Learn from the past	Analyze passages from <i>Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl: Part 2</i> (BFP) <hr/> Activity: While completing this skill, create a list of facts that you learned about Anne Frank or World War II. Share a few with a family member or friend.
Day 12	You're a boss!	Pick two "Grammar and mechanics" skills to practice!
Day 13	Out of order	Order topics from broadest to narrowest (XQ2) <hr/> Create varied sentences based on models (RKF)



Day 14	Get my meaning?	Determine the meaning of domain-specific words with pictures (VPB) <hr/> Use Greek and Latin roots as clues to the meanings of words (MBU)
Day 15	Time for a rhyme	Label the rhyme scheme (ENX) <hr/> Activity: Write a poem about your favorite time of year. Be sure to mention the sounds, sights, tastes, and smells that make it special.
Day 16	Fact or fiction	Identify supporting details in literary texts (W8V) <hr/> Distinguish facts from opinions (UVJ)
Day 17	Don't quote me on that	Match the quotations with their themes (XJK) <hr/> Formatting quotations and dialogue (WX9)
Day 18	Challenge yourself	Pick a challenge from your awards page and try to earn it!
Day 19	Best of times, worst of times	Well, better, best, badly, worse, and worst (VEZ) <hr/> Use parallel structure (ACY)
Day 20	Can you see the appeal?	Identify appeals to ethos, pathos, and logos in advertisements (7BT) <hr/> Activity: Make a flyer convincing people to try a game, sport, or hobby you enjoy. Be sure to use appeals to ethos, pathos, and logos!