

Diocese of Davenport
Language Arts Standards and Benchmarks
Grade Level K

Standard 6: Uses grammatical and mechanical conventions in written compositions

A. Interval Benchmark: Uses conventions of print in writing

1. Grade Level Benchmark: Knows concept of print (left-right & top to bottom)

2. Grade Level Benchmark: Can identify upper and lowercase letters of the alphabet

3. Grade Level Benchmark: Forms letters in print

B. Interval Benchmark: Create awareness of complete sentences in written compositions

1. Grade Level Benchmark: Can identify complete sentences in print

C. Interval Benchmark: Uses conventions of spelling in written compositions

1. Grade Level Benchmark: spells phonetically regular words

2. Grade Level Benchmark: uses letter-sound relationships

3. Grade Level Benchmark: Uses conventions of capitalization in written compositions