**Get Ready, Get Set, Go!**

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**Directions** Follow the directions below to learn about “The Process of Writing” and “The Forms of Writing” in *Write on Course 20-20*.

1. Turn to page 10 in your handbook and read about the five steps in the writing process. What are the first and last steps?

Prewriting and publishing

1. Look at page 71. What does a writer present in a showcase portfolio?

The writer’s best work

1. Read the descriptive paragraph on page 88. What title would you give it?

(Answers will vary.)

1. Review page 131. What is the subject of a personal narrative?

A true story about the writer

1. Study page 76. What are the two basic parts of a sentence?

Subject and verb

1. Study page 197. What does a writer need to include to support his or her opinion?

Good reasons

1. Read the science report starting on page 264. What is the most surprising fact you learned about the subject?

(Answers will vary.)

1. Make friends with the poem “Words” by following the steps on page 281.

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