

HODGES HARBRACE HANDBOOK 15E

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Content "Beyond the Rule" boxes explore the evolution of standardized English and academic discourse, providing students with helpful tips on how to recognize those conventions. A thoroughly updated Chapter 38, "Evaluating Sources Online and in Print," offers rhetorically situated advice on how to determine the credibility of an author's or publisher's work, the difference between bias and commitment and how to evaluate online sources. Contains twice as much English as a Second Language (ESL) coverage as the last edition, with new and revised ESL boxes.

Student Experiences A new writing across the curriculum chapter, Chapter 41, "Writing Academic Discourse," introduces students to the rhetorical issues they will face when writing in various disciplines. Four new student papers demonstrate the writing process, argumentative writing, and documentation styles, as well as how to write a lab report, an environmental field report, and a grant proposal.

Assessment Bringing new insight to the comprehensive HODGES' HARBRACE HANDBOOK, Fifteenth Edition, rhetorician Cheryl Glenn and linguist Loretta Gray add their expertise to this market-leading handbook. Includes expanded coverage of writing in an electronic environment, with more Computer boxes throughout. Thoroughly revised exercises in grammar, mechanics and style now use continuous discourse methodology to test students' knowledge of the principles of writing. Situates all discussion of writing--grammar, mechanics, style, diction, invention, drafting, academic discourse and research--around rhetorical concerns.

Organization

Resource Materials

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions Yes - Free 1 per textbook purchased 1st year of adoption HODGES HARBRACE HANDBOOK 15E-ANIMATED HANDBOOK CD-ROM (0838406548)
Free 1 per teacher HODGES HARBRACE 15E/WRITERS HARBRACE 2E-COLLEGE WORKBOOK (0838406424)
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Recommendations: [This is a basic grammar handbook that would be a good addition to the classroom bookcase. There are not many practice exercises; this is a handbook to consult, not to teach from. There are some handouts in the teachers' materials, but teachers have to go through some other pages to find where they are.](#)

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