

Grade 3 - Lesson 14

Types 10-20 wpm with 85% + accuracy

Keyboarding should be practiced regularly (at home, ideally, as homework), but also in class during IWT, as a reward, the first or last 5-10 minutes of a lab visit, when work is completed, etc...

*The purpose of this initial lesson is to get students to understand how a published keyboarding program or web site works, and to develop good habits of finger placement on the **Home Row**, as well as good posture. Once these habits are established, students can practice independently, though periodic review of work habits is a good idea.*

Read the teacher's guide and/or on-line tips for using the program/web site. Also be sure to preview the lessons as a student would so that you can anticipate problems students may have progressing through the program.

Here are a few quality keyboarding programs and web sites you can purchase or use.*

Mavis Beacon Teacher Typing

Type to Learn

Typing Tutor

Kid Type

Ten Thumbs Typing

Dance Mat Typing*

Power Typing*

Provide lots of positive reinforcement as well as a way to set benchmarks and allow students to show that they have met the benchmark.