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## 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

# IEW 1 6th Grade GVL

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**Grades:** 6th Grade

**Fees:** One Day Model: \$720 for 6th grade package of 4 classes

Two Day Model: \$1440 for 6th grade package of 4 classes

(plus \$3 curriculum material fee for both models)

### **Prerequisites:**

Parent must purchase Teaching Writing: Structure and Style Seminar and Practicum Workbook (details below) and must attend the summer [UHC Parent/Teacher Training for IEW](#). IEW parent training is a mandatory requirement if you have a student enrolled in an IEW class. Your 6th Grade IEW parent and student materials can also be purchased from Lifelong Learning Resources.

All 6th grade classes must be taken as a set. This is one of four classes in the set.

**Sections Offered:** [Section Desert - Payne](#), [Sections: Forest, Jungle, Tundra - Bosier](#)

# REQUIRED MATERIALS

(Available through Lifelong Learning Resources or directly from IEW, [www.excellenceinwriting.com](http://www.excellenceinwriting.com).)

## Parent:

- [The Institute for Excellence in Writing: Teaching Writing: Structure and Style Seminar and Practicum Workbook, 2nd Edition](#) The teacher notebook is sufficient. Parents do not need to buy the video instruction.

## Student:

- [Structure and Style for Students: Year 1, Level B](#) from IEW. This 2020 student text comes with a 3-ring binder and labeled divider tabs
- [Fix It! Mowgli and Shere Khan](#)

## Recommended Material:

- [Fix It Grammar cards](#)
- [Fix It! Mowgli and Shere Khan \(Teacher's Manual\)](#) **OR [Teacher Student Combo](#)**

## Other Materials:

- Plenty of notebook paper and pencils and/or pens

# Course Description

This class will require daily parent supervision/teaching. We will be teaching with [Structure and Style for Students: Year 1, Level B](#) from IEW. Research has shown that if our students can write well by the end of junior high, then they will be more successful in all areas of high school work.

Since mastery of structure and style is the purpose of this course, use this program across your own curriculum to fit your child's individual needs. Additionally, we will

work on editing and grammar skills using the IEW Fix-It program, [Fix It! Mowgli and Shere Khan, Student Book](#).

Teachers will introduce new concepts each week, and parents will complete the grammar and editing assignments with their students at home each week. Students will spend an average of 15 minutes per day, four days a week, at home on Fix It! assignments.

Parents may need guidance working through the Fix It curriculum at home, and if so will need to purchase the [teacher's manual](#). To learn more about this unique grammar and editing program please watch "[How IEW's Fix It! Grammar Program Works.](#)"

## To be successful in this class:

Students need to be working on IEW material each (non co-op) weekday (45 -60 min daily) in order to obtain mastery (as per Mr. Pudewa). Assignments will be given on the material presented in class and due the following week. As part of the student materials, parents will have different checklists during this course to use to evaluate their child's work. (The students should read the checklist and actually check off all items for the assignment.) The parent should make sure the final copy is complete then initial the checklist.

Turning in assignments offers the students some outside accountability. If you know your child will miss a class, go ahead and work through the material together. This IEW course will be presented interactively in class; however, you are the primary teacher! It is imperative that parents know and understand the material presented in the seminar workbook mentioned above in order to support their child at home.

**Homework:** Students will be assigned IEW homework on non co-op days weekdays.

- **One Day Model** students should expect IEW homework assignments 4 days per week, including writing assignments and 4 days of *Fix It! Grammar* homework.
- **Two Day Model** students should expect IEW homework assignments 3 days per week, including writing assignments, 3 days of *Fix It! Grammar* homework supported by extra in class grammar instruction as well as "Writer's Workshop".

## Section Desert - Payne



### Meet Sarah Payne

**Education:** Elementary Education Major from North Greenville University

**Teaching experience:** Began teaching in 2014 in the Public Education Setting and then taught 3rd – 5th Science at UHC beginning in 2018 and taught for a few years.

**Homeschool experience:** Began homeschooling in 2023

**Certifications:** Elementary Ed Certified

**Courses taught:** 3rd – 5th Science and 6 IEW

**Began Teaching at UHC in 2018**

**Sections: Forest, Jungle, Tundra - Bosier**



## Meet Taylor Bosier

**Education:** Bachelor's in Middle Level Math and ELA Education

**Teaching experience:** Began teaching in 2021

**Courses taught:** IEW 6th

**Began Teaching at UHC in 2024**

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