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Company		Resource	Resource	Resource
Compare/	Sub-skills	Options	Options	Options
Contrast		Houghton Mifflin:	Houghton Mifflin:	Houghton Mifflin:
		Unit 10	Unit 11	Unit 11
Writing Process	Elements of	HM pg. 444	HM pg. 482	HM pg. 539
	Compare/Contrast			
	<ul> <li>Organizing your essay</li> </ul>	HM pg. 450-453	HM pg. 487-490	HM pg. 548-
	*Write about			
	similarities and then			
	differences			
	* Feature by			
	feature order			
	*7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> -			
	Subject by subject			
	order	WriteTraits Pg. 67-69		
	Details • Flaboratina	HM pg. 458	HM Pg. 495	HM pg. 555
	<ul><li>Elaborating</li><li>Elaborating: Word</li></ul>	13	J. S. V.	
Revising	Choice			
Strategies	• Antonyms and 7 <sup>th</sup>	HM pg. 458 and H14 -	HM Pg. 495 and H14	HM pg. 555 and H14
	Synonyms	15	WriteTraits Pg. 61	WriteTraits Pg. 60 and
	, ,	WriteTraits Pg. 64-66	J. 3. 3.	62
	7 <sup>th</sup> - Sentence Fluency			

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	<ul> <li>Use words such as but, however, and</li> </ul>	HM Pg. 368	
	<ul> <li>although to link ideas</li> <li>Writing sentences</li> <li>with semicolons and</li> <li>colons (combining</li> <li>sentences)</li> </ul>	HM pg. 250	
	Word Choice		
Six Trait	•See revising		
	strategies		
Grammar	<ul> <li>As needed in the</li> </ul>		
	writing		