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## Performance Objectives

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## **Instructional Goal:**

Perspective and inexperienced authors will better understand all available options available when considering the publication of their first material.

## **Terminal Objective:**

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	options, students will be able to	
	select an option that would most	
	benefit their manuscript.	
Enabling Objectives	Given general information about a	
	publishing company, students will	
	distinguish what kind of company it	
	is with accuracy.	
	Given ten minutes, students will be	
	able to define the major	
	characteristics of each type of	
	publishing method including	
	benefits and drawbacks of each.	
	Secondary Enabling Objectives	Give thirty minutes,
		students will identify
		eight benefits of each

		method of publication.
		Given thirty minutes,
		students will identify six
		shortcomings of each
		type of publication.
Enabling Objectives	After thoroughly examining their	
(Continued)	work, students will select which	
	method to attempt publication with	
	three possible companies.	
	Secondary Enabling Objectives	Given access to a
		publisher's website,
		students will be able to
		distinguish 'real' and
		'scam' companies.
		After thorough
		examination of their
		material, students will
		realize if they fit the
		parameters of any given
		publisher.
Enabling Objectives	Given access to a computer,	
(Continued)	students will locate three websites	
	of agents for possible	

representation.	
Given access to a computer,	
students will find three sites for	
digital publishing websites that are	
suitable for their work.	
Given access to a computer,	
students will find three sites for	
self-publishing websites that are	
suitable for their work.	
Given access to a self-publishing	
company website, student will	
identify what benefits the company	
offers in relation to the	
responsibilities they will inherit.	
Given access to the internet, student	
will find three digital publishing	
outlets and explain the benefits of	
each.	