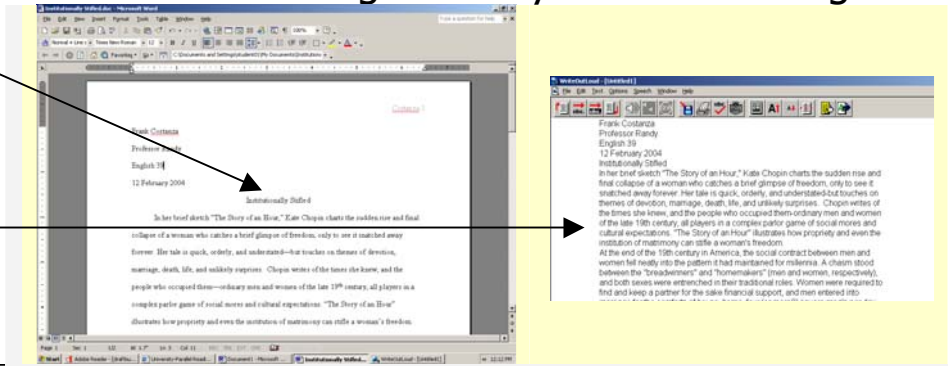
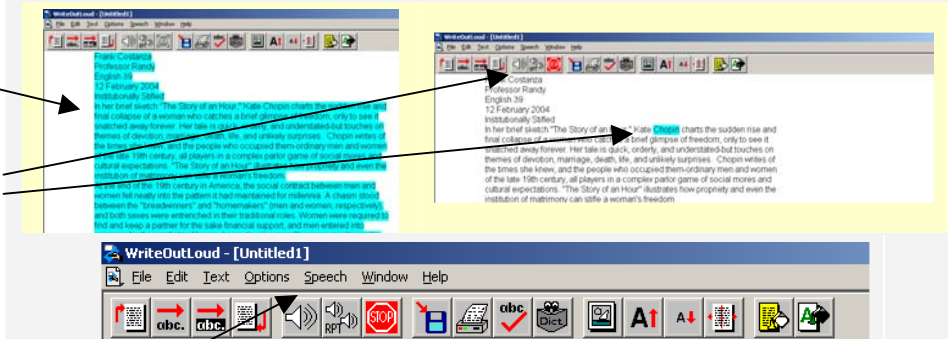


Using Write:OutLoud and Listening Critically to Your Writing

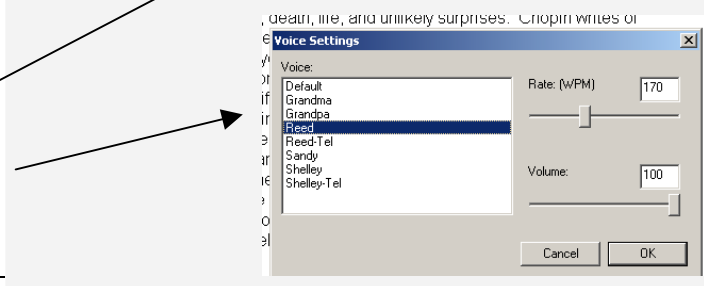
- 1—Copy/paste your Microsoft Word document into a new Write:OutLoud window. Since Write:OutLoud reads in a text-only format, your previous formatting will disappear.
 - Don't worry—the words will still be there!



- 2—Highlight the passage you would like to hear or use Edit/Select All (or control-a) to highlight your entire Write:OutLoud document to hear it all.
 - Put on your headset and click the speaker to hear your writing.
 - Click the STOP sign to pause the reading.



- 3—Go to Speech/Voice Settings if you want to adjust the tone, volume, and/or speed of the reading.
 - Check out Grandpa 55 wpm!



- 4—As you listen critically to your essay in Write:OutLoud, edit and revise your essay.
 - You may want to copy/paste changes into your Microsoft Word version of the essay in conjunction with your Write:OutLoud editing.

of the late 19th century, all players in a complex parlor game of social mores and cultural expectations. "The Story of an Hour" illustrates how propriety and even the institution of matrimony can stifle a woman's freedom. At the end of the 19th century in America, the social contract between men and

- 5—While you may save your Write:OutLoud document in a plain text format, you're likely better off copying/pasting your revised Write:OutLoud text into Microsoft Word.
 - Copy/paste your edits into Word while editing in Write:OutLoud OR do so afterward as an entirely new Word document.

