

Writing Workshops that Really Work

Questions & Resources

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Please have writing materials available for this session.

Overview

- Philosophy of teaching writing
- Integrating writing into subject areas
- Writing space, conferring with students, mini-lessons, modeling the process
- Tracking (getting and keeping) ideas
- Free-writing, spelling, grammar, & conventions
- Inner critic
- Additional support
- Questions

Breakout Session Questions

- 1. How can you motivate students to be more involved in their own learning?
- 2. Where can you find more opportunities to model process?
- 3. What ideas can you apply to your teaching situation?

Resources

Teachers & Writers Collaborative https://twc.org

National Writing Project https://www.nwp.org

Deb Lund https://deblund.com

Writing with Kids https://www.facebook.com/WritingWithKids

NaNoWriMo for Young Writers

https://www.commonsense.org/education/website/nanowrimo-young-writers-program

Atwell, Nancie, *Writing in the Middle Third Edition*, Heinemann, 2015, 629 pages and DVD, ISBN 978-0-325-02813-2

Calkins, Lucy McCormick, *The Art of Teaching Writing*, New Edition, Heinemann, 1994, paperback, 564 pages, ISBN 0-435-08809-2

Kittle, Penny, *Write Beside Them: Risk, Voice, and Clarity in High School Writing,* Heinemann, 2008, 272 pages, DVD, ISBN 978-0-325-01097-7