

K-8 Writing Strategies



Are you new to writer's workshop? Have you been trying to use a workshop approach in your classroom, but are having trouble putting all of the pieces together? Then the workshop series is just for you!

We will cover a wide range of topics related to writer's workshop, including conferring with writers, mentor texts, and publishing writing - just to name a few!

The focus is K-8, but will be organic to the people in the room and content will come from many sources.

Come learn along with us!

Price per date:

- \$100 for CESA 5 School Improvement Members
- \$160 for non-members

TO REGISTER:



Facilitated by Angie Wiemer
CESA 5 Curriculum Specialist
wiemera@cesa5.org or 608-745-5476



626 E Slifer St, Portage, WI 53901

17-18 Workshop Dates:

You may attend any of the following dates.
Please register and pay separately through myquickreg.

11/28/17, 9 am - 3 pm @ CESA 5

CREATING A COMMUNITY OF WRITERS

How do you create a community of writers in your classroom? Join us as we discover writer's workshop. Learn how to use writer's notebooks and create mini-lessons that are specific to your students' needs. We will watch videos and learn different strategies to help improve your students' writing.

1/25/18, 9 am - 3 pm @ CESA 5

LET'S LOOK AT MENTOR TEXT

How do you inspire our students to love writing?
This session will cover mentor texts:

- Some basic guidelines between mentor texts and read alouds
- New and exciting books to use K-8

3/5/18, 9 am - 3 pm @ CESA 5

CONFERRING WITH WRITERS

Have you heard your colleagues talk about conferring? Do you know what it means and how to use it? If not, or if you struggle to confer with students, this session is for you. You will learn the why and how to conferring and walk away with ideas and resources to get started in your classroom.

5/8/18, 9 am - 3 pm @ CESA 5

PUBLISHING AND CELEBRATING WRITING

We will explore strategies and ideas to help students revise and edit their work. We will also look at new ways to publish and celebrate your students' writing pieces!