TEN IDEAS THAT WORK: Inspiring Student Writing In and Out of the Classroom

Saturday, February 4, 2017 at The College Terrace, SUNY New Paltz

Join the Hudson Valley Writing Project for a set of Saturday morning roundtables that will celebrate the work of our Young Writers Programs. In each session, we will discuss innovative strategies that we use to build writing communities that students love.

SIGN-IN and REGISTRATION (8:30 am – 9:00 am)

SESSION ONE (9:00 am – 10:00 am)

  WRITERS’ CHOICE: Genre Writing for Our Youngest Writers (K-3)
  THE ILLUSTRATED INTERVIEW and Other Icebreakers (3-12)
  BUILDING A COMMUNITY THROUGH BUILDING SCULPTURE (K-12)

SESSION TWO (10:00 am – 11:00 am)

  POETRY PREWRITE: How Affirming Students’ Identities Sets the Tone for Embracing Authorship (3-12)
  FAMOUS WRITERS, OUR STUDENTS, AND US (K-6)
  THE FIVE IMAGE STORY: A Cell Phone Spin Off (3-12)
  HOW DO YOU TEACH REVISION (AND PRECISION)? With Division! (1-12)

SESSION THREE (11:00 am – 12:00 pm)

  WRITING FROM MENTORS: How to Spark the Writer in All of Us (K-12)
  REVISION STRATEGIES: How Collaborators Can Help Us “See Again” (K-12)
  COURAGEOUS WRITERS: HVWP, the National Park Service, and You (4-12)

No pre-registration is necessary to attend, but teachers may register on MyLearningPlan at the Mid-Hudson Teacher Center website: www.mhtc.dcboces.org

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