



The Maryland Writing Project at Towson University

EXPLORING WRITERS' WORKSHOP ONLINE with the Maryland Writing Project

Explore the structure and benefits of implementing writers' workshop in K-12 classrooms and become familiar with your grade level's Core Curriculum Writing Standards.

In this three-credit course, teachers will explore the structure, styles, and benefits of writers' workshop. Participants will also develop ready-to-use writing workshop resources that meet the writing needs of real students and fulfill the requirements set forth by grade-level curriculum standards.

Participants taking this course must be prepared to collect, share, and analyze samples of student writing from current or past classroom groups.

Contact Alison Sayers at asayers@towson.edu for more information. Put WRITERS' WORKSHOP in the subject line.

For more information regarding the Maryland Writing Project (MWP) and its many opportunities for teachers, visit the MWP website at www.towson.edu/mwp.

For additional resources about the teaching of writing and the National Writing Project (NWP), visit the NWP website at www.nwp.org.

WRITERS' WORKSHOP IS

- Student-centered
- Research-based
- A lot of fun

WRITERS' WORKSHOP

- Teaches grammar
- Aligns to curriculum
- Has a manageable, repetitive structure
- Develops young writers

Classes are held online with a structured learning sequence; therefore participants must have consistent access to the internet for the duration of the course.

Registration for this course is the same process as other courses offered by Towson University.

Class is found under the title "Teaching Writing Across the Curriculum".

SCED 603.001
August 31 through December 21

This course offers the opportunity to plan a personalized writers' workshop and the time to implement, reflect upon, and polish one's approach.

