



# Common Core Writing Class

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Writing Class will start from March 2016. In our 10-week writing session, students will practice the following Common Core standards and topics

Class 1 – Grade 3/4	Class 2 – Grade 5/6
<b>Writing Process</b> Vocabulary Connections G3/4 Basic Skills Curriculum G3/4 Perfection Learning G3/4 Smarter Balanced G3/4 -Writing Strategies -Organize sentences/ideas effectively -Use transitional phrases ideas effectively -Effective dialogue Enrichment writing/ figurative language G3/4 -similes, metaphor, etc. Grammar G3/4	<b>Writing Process</b> Vocabulary Connections G5/6 Basic Skills Curriculum G5/6 Perfection Learning G5/6 Smarter Balanced G5/6 -Writing Strategies -Organize sentences/ideas effectively -Use transitional phrases ideas effectively -Effective dialogue Enrichment writing/ figurative language G5/6 -similes, metaphor, etc. Grammar G5/6
<b>Writing Topics</b> – Narratives – Opinion – Inform (Explain) – Story	<b>Writing Topics</b> – Narrative – Opinion – Informatives – Story/Research

The first week will consist of a short teacher introduction, classroom rules and procedures, and an entry-level assessment. There are 4 Learning Weeks, 2 Exam Week, and 4 Discussion and Review Weeks in a 10-week session. Each learning week consists of Writing Strategies, Processes, and a Writing topic. For our writing projects, each student writes a Rough Draft for homework and completes a final draft of that writing after the teacher goes over it one-on-one with the student. During the Discussion and Review weeks, other writing themes and vocabulary will be presented.

**English Writing Class Tuition Fee:     \$150 for 10 classes**

## ***English Writing Teacher Profile***

### **KEVIN MACHURA**

I love teaching! Teaching is what I do best. I am a highly qualified credentialed elementary school teacher with years of classroom experience. I have successfully taught many ESL students and English only students with a simple yet highly effective format for writing proper single and multi-paragraph essays. For early writers I use paragraph frames and for intermediate students "The 5 Paragraph Essay" format. I have had great success using this approach with children regardless of their level.

I currently hold an S. B. 2042 multiple subject teaching credential (K-12) with the state of California. I have taught in the Milpitas Unified School District since 2005. Prior to that I worked for the Fremont USD and The Urban Teaching Academy. I have successfully demonstrated teaching excellence in all phases of instruction, classroom management, and lesson planning of district and state adopted subject matter. I am authorized to teach English Language Learners. I have been recognized for meeting the teaching needs of diverse classrooms. I employ differentiated learning strategies to improve the academic performance of all students. I am skilled and competent in the development and instruction of standard based lesson plans across the curriculum. My teaching experience covers all aspects of teaching including team teaching, grade level collaboration, and mentoring.

I am also a published author. I have enjoyed publishing success in a wide variety of venues. My poem "Sweetheart" was awarded an "Achievement of Merit" by Creative Arts & Science Enterprises. I am currently working on a children' book and a book of quotes. Through classroom experience I have sharpened my writing expertise. Students must be taught at their level first and then brought up to grade level or higher. After an initial assessment test the instructor can then administer effective writing lesson plans.

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