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## Plot Twist: Writing Can Be Engaging, Accessible, and Standards Based!

Turn your learners into young authors! Writing can be the Tale of the Two Cities- the best of times or the worst of times. Don't get caught up in only one world: process or assessment. In this course, you will learn how to make the world of informal writing and formal writing blend into one! Come master how to facilitate and guide scholars into the navigation of how to be creative in their own thinking and use the thinking of others to support their opinions.

The instructor will guide you through a variety of practical activities that can be used immediately, such as: using standards to create rubrics (if not using GaDOE rubrics), working backwards from exemplars, making writing accessible through pictures and listening activities, and leveraging explicit vocabulary to close reading, using rubrics to chunk writing to a text, implementing peer feedback loops for collaboration, and staying on top of grading in the process. (TKES Standards 1, 3, 7, and 8).

Date:	April 25, 2024
Time:	8:30am – 3:30pm
Location:	Griffin RESA
Cost:	\$35 (Registration is required)
Target Audience:	3 <sup>rd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers

## Register online at <u>www.griffinresa.net</u> Registration Deadline: April 18, 2024