

2022 Picturing Writing Summer Institute Week of June 26-30, 2023 - Virtual

Learn how to address Learning Loss through a captivating evidence-based approach that engages all learners

Picturing Writing: Fostering Literacy Through Art® is an innovative, evidence-based approach to teaching writing proven effective for a wide range of learners. Through the use of simple crayon resist art techniques, the study of quality picture books, and an on-going Artist/Writers Workshop, this highly scaffolded, multimodal approach gives students access to visual as well as verbal tools for rehearsing, drafting and revising their writing. Because pictures offer a universal language, Picturing Writing allows students to enter the reading/writing process from a position of strength and enthusiasm. It provides an enticing, alternative pathway into writing for English Learners and others who struggle with reading and writing.

This year's virtual summer institute will include writing in 5 genre studies: descriptive writing, informative writing, poetry, inquiry-based poetry, and inquiry-based narrative. All units can be easily aligned with grade-level English Language Arts Standards and integrated across the curriculum. Supported by best practices and three decades of independent research, Picturing Writing captivates the hearts and minds of young readers and writers while addressing critical literacy skills.

Join originator Beth Olshansky virtually each day to experience the process firsthand. All workshop art and instructional materials will be shipped directly to you. A classroom art materials kit can be included as part of the summer institute fee. Graduate credit options are available through Southern New Hampshire University for the Summer Institute with options for additional credit.

No previous art experience necessary!



Picturing Writing: Fostering Literacy Through Art® uses simple crayon resist art techniques and quality picture books to teach the art of writing.



"My words make my pictures come alive."

Registration deadline: May 26, 2023

Location: Your home (virtually)

When: June 26 - 30, 2023

Time: M T Th 8:00 AM – noon; W & F 8:00 AM – 2:30 ET

Cost: \$1750 includes over \$1000 worth of art & instructional materials (4 teachers manuals, book/introductory video, access to 4 online instructional videos, 13 mentor texts, 5 posters, artists frame, and all workshop art materials) shipped to your home.

Three graduate credits available through SNHU for \$450; additional credits available for classroom implementation.

Picturing Writing Classroom Kit options available: \$560 for 20 students; \$625 for 24 students (includes shipping 40+ lb. box)

I have never in my 30 years of teaching seen first graders write like this or be so attuned to literature. This approach works for my low readers and writers; it challenges my top students; and it supports those in the middle.

- Merrilee Thissell, first-grade teacher

Picturing Writing allowed all my children to be successful. It provided wonderful concrete tools for rehearsal, drafting, and revision. I saw the most growth with my lowest students.

- Millie Parks, fifth-grade teacher

I had great success using these methods with English Learners and other at-risk students. This visual approach promotes oral language skills and writing that flows directly from the pictures students have painted with care.

- Donna Garcia, Instructor of Language & Literacy, UNM

Questions: Contact Beth at Beth.Olshansky@comcast.net or (603) 659-6018

Email this form & PO to: Janet.Flagg@picturingwriting.org.

Call in credit card information to Janet at 603-770-6821.

Register now for weeklong virtual summer institute

Name _____

Home address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School name _____ Grade _____

School address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Star address you would like workshop materials sent to. No PO boxes permitted.

Email for virtual workshop _____

Cell phone _____

School phone _____

workshop grad credit PW classroom kit for 20 PW kit for 24

Total \$ _____ Pay by check or Purchase Order payable to "IABL" or

Charge \$ _____ to VISA or MasterCard (circle one)

FOR SECURITY PURPOSES, IF EMAILING THIS FORM, PLEASE CALL IN CREDIT CARD NUMBER: 603-770-6821 or mail form with check to Institute for Art-Based Literacy, 122 Packers Falls Road, Durham, NH 03824.

Card Number _____

Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Cancellations will be charged a \$50 processing fee; Cancellation after workshop materials have been shipped will be charged \$50 plus \$550, the cost of materials plus S&H.