Writing Outside of the Box: Thinking Matters Conference

Learn about effective strategies you can use in your classroom to help ALL of your students, including EL learners, improve their reading and writing skills!

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The Central California Writing Project
Presents:

Writing Outside of the Box: Thinking Matters Conference
Hosted by the Salinas Union High School District
Saturday, November 15, 2008
8:00 am – 12:30 pm
La Paz Middle School
1300 North Sanborn Rd., Salinas, CA
Our Conference Workshops:

All You Need to Know About Teaching Grammar and Conventions: Grades 1 - 12
Bill Murphy and Louann Baker

Getting Kids to Think Like Real Writers with Writing Marathons: Grades 6 - 12
Zach Davison-Wilson and Amy Boldt

Writing in Action: Using Digital Tools to Make Stories Move: Grades K-16
Fred Mindlin and Christi Crutchfield

CAHSEE is NOT the Ceiling; it’s the Floor: Grades 9 – 14 Nancy Harray, Carrie Parker, Cheryl Smelt, and Rob Smet

Summarization: Why is this Kind of Writing So Difficult for Students?: Grades 6 – 12
Valerie Hunt

Analytical Reading and Writing Strategies For All Students: Grades 4-16 Louann Baker

Group Conferences: Transferring Ownership from the Teacher to the Students During the Revision Process: Grades 5-12 Julie Egdahl

Interrelating the ISAW Approach with Mandated (or Core) Literary Materials: Grades 9-12
Margo Kipps

How do I register early?

* Snail mail: Complete the registration form, enclose a check or purchase order payable to CCWP, and mail before Nov. 8 to:
Kara Willett
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* Email registration:
> Send your payment of $20 to the address above.
> Then email the following information to the CCWP office, Kara Willett:
kwillett@ucsc.edu

Early email or snail mail registration: $20.00
Early registration of school team (3 or more teachers): $45.00
At the door: $25.00

Cancellation Policy: Fees, minus a $10 handling fee, will be refunded for cancellations received at least ten days prior to the conference date. No refunds will be made for no-shows. For purchase orders, the school/district must pay for no-shows if the registrant did not cancel in writing within the stated deadline. If the CCWP cancels the conference, all fees will be refunded.