



Winter 2011

Academic Writing Classes:

1st - 6th Grade

(12 - Weeks Session)

February 6 - May 4, 2012

Level-based writing curricula targeted at specific skill sets

Class participants are required to take writing assessment prior to assignment to specific skill level session by course instructor. Students can be promoted in level during the course of session per instructor recommendation to ensure maximum benefits & challenges in learning.

Red Level II : (Thursday, 4:30 – 5:30pm, starts 2/9)

Students in our second semester red group will apply foundational writing conventions to start forming basic structured paragraphs. They will become familiar with writing brief narratives and expository descriptions while maintaining a consistent focus.

Orange Level II: (Wednesday, 2:30 – 3:45pm, starts 2/8)

Students in our second semester orange group will continue their writing at intermediate pace, developing their creative and descriptive talents and incorporating new vocabulary while maintaining proper paragraph structure.

Yellow Level II: (Tuesday, 5:00 – 6:15pm, starts 2/7)

Entering with a firm grasp of grammar, punctuation, and incorporation of descriptive content in writing, this class is geared toward improving sentence structure while organizing thoughts and ideas in multiple paragraphs. Students will practice identifying fragments and run-ons as we continue to take risks in our writing, taking the next step toward becoming self-reliant proofreaders.

Green Level II: (Monday, 4:00 – 5:15pm, starts 2/6)

The primary goal of the second semester of Green is to develop precise writing and focus on economy of words. Students will be challenged to accomplish more with their writing by refining and growing their comprehension, revision and pre-writing skills.

At the end of the semester students will have a toolbox for setting goals in their writing, and applying those goals to each phase of the writing process.



Blue Level: (Wednesday, 3:30 – 4:45pm, starts 2/8)

The ability to write persuasively requires clear, specific vocabulary and concisely expressed ideas. In this session's *Blue* writing class, students will focus primarily on developing vocabulary and crafting precise sentences/paragraphs to write persuasively.

Purple Level II: (Thursday, 4:00 – 5:15pm, starts 2/9)

The art and science of persuasion requires high-level vocabulary, verbal clarity, and refined communication skills with both the written and the spoken word. In this session of our *Purple* level writing class, students will focus on creating more concise, effective sentences/paragraphs. During the second half of the class, we will transition into delivering this persuasion out loud in the context of writing speeches and improving public speaking skills.

Black Level II: (Monday, 3:30 – 4:45 pm, starts 2/6)

This class is designed for advanced writing students to improve their written and spoken communication skills in the context of researching, writing, and delivering statements in formal debate. Students will expand their vocabulary and enhance the clarity of their writing, and develop the necessary oratory skills to effectively persuade and debate.

Instructors:

Our elite team of instructors are all passionate about promoting literacy in learners of all ages. All instructors on board have a minimum of 4-years bachelor degree along with years of teaching and tutoring experience in writing to children from elementary all through college level.

Class Tuition: (12 week class)

\$350 (Level: Red)

\$420 (Level: Orange – Black)

No class will be held on 2/20 (President's Day) & week of Spring Break (4/9 – 4/13)

Current students of Learning Bee receive 20% discount off tuition.

Refund Policy:

- 75% refund available after 2nd class minus \$20 Administration Fee
- 50% refund available after 3rd class minus \$20 Administration Fee
- No refund for voluntary withdrawal made after 4th class



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