Resource Index : Mini-Writing Festival Program

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- ☑ Designed to help teachers curate their own program
- ☑ Designed to support teachers with implementation and planning
- ☑ 230 Total Unique Resources

Introducing the Authors and Themes
Designed as writing activities that introduce the author and workshop themes

	Tick	Released in term 2	Available until 31 Dec 2021	No	Location	Digital	Location	Printable	Notes
1	☐	15 x Individual author biographies		15	MWF – Pre Workshop Resources + TWT	☑	Pre Workshop Resources	☑	
2	☐	5 writing activities per author		75	MWF – Pre Workshop Resources + TWT	☑	Pre Workshop Resources	☑	
3	☐	15 x submit Author questions		15	MWF – Pre Workshop Resources + TWT	☑	Pre Workshop Resources	☑	
4	☐	Worksheets		15	MWF – Pre Workshop Resources + TWT	☑	Pre Workshop Resources	☑	

Author workshop videos
40 minute workshops available as a live experience and/or as an On Demand video

	Tick	Released 24 hours after the live date	Available until 18 Oct 2021	No	Location	On Demand	Location For Live Week	Live	Notes
5	☐	Andrew Daddo		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
6	☐	Deborah Abela		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
7	☐	Jackie French		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
8	☐	James Foley		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
9	☐	Jo Mularczyk		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
10	☐	John Heffernan		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
11	☐	Katrina McKelvey		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
12	☐	Kirli Saunders		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
13	☐	Kristin Darell		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
14	☐	Lisa Nicol		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
15	☐	Nat Amoore		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
16	☐	Oliver Phommavanh		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
17	☐	Susanne Gervay		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
18	☐	Tristan Bancks		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	
19	☐	Wendy Orr		1	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	Via Zoom and Youtube	☑	

Activities from each author workshop
Designed as an activity for a student to write a response

	Tick	Released 9 to 15 August 2021	Available until 31 Dec 2021	No	Location	Digital	Printable Location	Printable	Notes
20	☐	15 x Author's 3 words.		15	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
21	☐	15 x Author Q&A		15	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
22	☐	15 x Author Writing Challenges (individual + by stage)		15	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
23	☐	Who reads your writing?		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	

Student extension / reflection activities
Designed as an activity for a student to capture and share their knowledge

	Tick	Released 9 to 15 August 2021	Available until 31 Dec 2021	No	Location	Digital	Location	Printable	
24	☐	Ages 5 to 8 – Littlescribe News Reporters		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
25	☐	Ages 7 to 10 – Story Maker Machine		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
26	☐	Ages 9 to 14 – Story Creation: The Graphic Novel		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	
27	☐	Student Festival Feedback		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑	MWF – Workshop Resources	☑	

Micro-videos from the author workshops
Designed as a lesson starter to reinforce a key skill or theme - we call these 'teaching gold' moments

	Tick	Released 9 to 15 August 2021		Available until 31 Dec 2021	No	Location	Digital	Location	Printable	Notes
28	☐	Andrew Daddo	*Create a Map*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
29	☐	Andrew Daddo	*Create Obstacles*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
30	☐	Deborah Abela	*Setting - an old sailing ship*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
31	☐	Deborah Abela	*Add an explorer and rocket ship to your setting.*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
32	☐	Jackie French	*Using sensory descriptions in your settings*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
33	☐	Jackie French	*Add details to describe place and time.*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
34	☐	James Foley	*Personification vs anthropomorphism*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
35	☐	James Foley	*Tips how to add life (humanise) your stories*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
36	☐	Jo Mularczyk	*Describing ordinary objects.*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
37	☐	Jo Mularczyk	*Turning objects into something extraordinary*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
38	☐	John Heffernan	*How to use suspense.*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
39	☐	John Heffernan	*The Keep-Out House*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
40	☐	Katrina McKelvey	*Onomatopoeia*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
41	☐	Katrina McKelvey	*What does a story need?*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
42	☐	Kirli Saunders	*Breaking down a moment. Paint pictures with wo*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
43	☐	Kirli Saunders	*Write a poem about an important issue.*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
44	☐	Kristin Darell	*What is the difference? New, old and other world*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
45	☐	Kristin Darell	*The difference between Fact vs Opinion*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
46	☐	Lisa Nicol	*Characters - Physical Descriptions*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
47	☐	Lisa Nicol	*Characters - Inside and outside*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
48	☐	Nat Amoore	*Rule 1 Dialogue - how words tell us about a char*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
49	☐	Nat Amoore	*Rule 2&3 Dialogue - The Grid , what and how we*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
50	☐	Oliver Phommavanh	*Create setting - Use the Island Map*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
51	☐	Oliver Phommavanh	*Obstacles - add sound (a fear) to create richnes*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
52	☐	Susanne Gervay	*Let's build a character*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
53	☐	Susanne Gervay	*Tips to writing characters*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
54	☐	Susanne Gervay	*Describe flying on elephant to another world*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
55	☐	Tristan Bancks	*Use the clip and write the rest of the story*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
56	☐	Tristan Bancks	*Tips and tricks to writing funny stories*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
57	☐	Wendy Orr	*Adventure story starters -Oh no and Hooray*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	
58	☐	Wendy Orr	*Adventure story - Use the trampoline technique*		1	MWF – Workshop Resources +TWT	☑		x	

Student Purpose + Celebration
Digital tools that are designed for a student to share their writing

	Tick	Released in term 2 2021		No	Location	Digital	Location	Printable	Notes
59	☐	Share on the Story Starter Wall		1	MWF – Story Starter Wall	☑		x	
60	☐	Share with your school community		1	Menu bar – Library	☑		x	
61	☐	Create an individual book		1	Menu bar – Create	☑		x	
62	☐	Create a collaborative book		1	Menu bar – Library	☑		x	
63	☐	Create a classroom library		1	Menu bar – Library	☑		x	
64	☐	Top 10 Tips for Creating a Book -digital and printable		1	Menu bar – Library	☑		x	

Planning Resources
Designed to support teachers with implementation and planning — Available 31 December 2021

	Tick	Released throughout the program - look for email updates		No	Location	Digital	Location	Printable	Notes
65	☐	Teacher Writing Toolkit	*Assign Review Respond*		Menu bar – Home	☑		x	
66	☐	Festival Calendar	*The Live Week*	1	Home - Mini-Writing Festival	☑		x	
67	☐	Festival Poster	*Share with the school*	1	Home - Mini-Writing Festival	☑		x	
68	☐	Printable Resource Pack	*All resources*	1	Home - Mini-Writing Festival	☑		☑	
69	☐	Research	*Links to Vocab and Audience*	1	MWF – Resource Index	☑		☑	
70	☐	Curriculum and syllabus links	*Found throughout the program*	1	MWF – Resource Index	☑		☑	
71	☐	MWF Resource Checklist	*Summary of every resource and location*	1	MWF – Resource Index	☑		☑	
72	☐	MWF Resource Map	*How the resources connect*	1	MWF – Resource Index	☑		☑	
73	☐	Littlescribe Writing Model	*Summary of every resource and location*	1	MWF – Resource Index	☑		☑	

	Calendar Summary		Are additional programs available ?
	Lower Sessions - aged 5 to 7	Workshop themes	Yes, The Co-author Program is available for these authors
☐	Kristin Darell	Fact vs fiction	☑ Please enquire
☐	Katrina McKelvey	Generate Ideas, narrative writing	☑ Please enquire
☐	Deborah Abela	Settings descriptions	☑ Please enquire
☐	Susanne Gervay	Character building	☑ Please enquire
☐	Jo Mularczyk	Descriptive writing vocabulary choice	☑ Please enquire
	Middle Sessions - ages 7 to 10		
☐	Oliver Phommavanh	Setting world-making	☑ Please enquire
☐	Lisa Nicol	Character building descriptions	☑ Please enquire
☐	Tristan Bancks	Writing funny stories generating funny ideas	☑ Please enquire
☐	Jackie French	Descriptive writing time and place	☑ Please enquire
☐	Wendy Orr	Plot writing adventure stories	☑ Please enquire
	Upper Sessions - ages 10 to 14		
☐	Kirli Saunders	Verse, poetry, audience	☑ Please enquire
☐	Andrew Daddo	World building , map making	☑ Please enquire
☐	Nat Amoore	Dialogue, script writing	☑ Please enquire
☐	John Heffernan	Build suspense, plot descriptions	☑ Please enquire
☐	James Foley	Characters personification	☑ Please enquire

Abbrev.	Name	Description
MWF	Mini-Writing Festival	A writing program that runs from term 2 to term 4
TWT	Teacher Writing Toolkit	Teachers can digitally assign, respond and review student writing activities
Pre	Pre Workshop Resources	Resources that form part of the Mini-Writing Festival
Post	Workshop Resources	Resources that form part of the Mini-Writing Festival
Index	Resource Index	Resources designed to support teachers with implementation and planning
Create	Menu bar - Create	A tool to upload work and transform it into a digital project like a book, calendar or card.
Library	Menu bar - Library	A library that celebrates projects created by students. Each can be shared digitally or in print.
Menu bar	Menu Bar	Includes: Home, Library, My Classroom, Create, Shop

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