



Writing Essays and Short Response Test
Preparation for Grades 3-6 2024:
How Can We Better Help Our Students Succeed
with the Writing Demands of the ELA?
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On this day, basic structures for responding to how and why short response questions will be investigated. Demonstration texts from released and scored ELA questions will be explored. Strategies for organizing and implementing an ELA writing unit will be shared. These include the use of mentor released-test passages for different types of essays. Teachers will have time to think through new ways to organize existing writing practice materials to benefit students.

DATE: Wednesday, February 14, 2024
TIME: 8:30 am – 2:30 pm
COST: \$125 for subscribers / \$175 for non-subscribers (includes buffet lunch)
AUDIENCE: Teachers of ELA grades 3-6; ELA Directors/Chairs
LOCATION: Instructional Support Center at Sequoya, 750 Waverly Ave, Holtsville
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