

**Using Authors  
as Literary  
Models for  
Primary Authors**

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# Today's Session

- Overview of writing workshop
- Placing writing within an authentic context
- Using authors as mentors for primary writers



# Writing Workshop

- What is writing workshop?
- Purpose
- What it can



# What is Writing Workshop?

- Minilesson
- Sustained student  
writing
- Share



# Purpose of Writing Workshop

- Authentic tasks
- Meaningful content
- Motivation for rigorous learning



# The Power of Writing

## Workshop: One

### Student's Growth

- Samples from one student from September through January.
- Look for changes in the student's



# Placing Writing Within an Authentic Context

- Genres
- Audience
- Sharing

# Using Authors as Mentors for Primary Writers

- Rationale
- Examples
- Suggested mentor authors

QUESTIONS

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Comments?

Thank you for your  
time and attention  
during this  
presentation!

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