

Participants

Write: Respond to each other's writing, revise and reflect on how this experience can inform their teaching. They look closely at student writing.

Read: Research and theory on writing instruction. They devise their own inquiry project, which they work on with a facilitator over the course of the program.

Demonstrate: Share their teaching practices with each other. Explore implications of their practices and work on evolving understandings of informed practices in writing instruction across grade levels and subject areas.



The NWPNH Model



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National Writing Project in New Hampshire

**Because Writing
Matters...**





School-Based Programs

NWPNH Teacher Consultants provide classroom demonstrations, school-based workshops and courses customized to meet the needs of each school or district. See our website for details of specific programs.

Programs for Youth

NWPNH runs summer camps for students entering grades 3-12 in locations around the state each year. In collaboration with the Scholastic Writing Awards, each year we sponsor the largest writing competition in New Hampshire and publish *Middle High School Voices*, an anthology of award-winning writing by New Hampshire middle and high school students.

"It's not only that we take something back to our classrooms. It's that we become something different in our classrooms."

~ Barbara Buckley, Teacher,
White Mountain School

The Summer Institute for Teachers of Writing

Every summer, NWPNH hosts a summer institute for teachers of all levels (K-16) in all subject areas, to work on the teaching of writing. Teachers experience the process of writing by writing and sharing their writing with each other, bringing one piece to publication. They add to their knowledge of writing pedagogy through reading and inquiry. They demonstrate their teaching practices for each other in order to explore them more deeply. This transformative institute prepares these teachers to become teacher consultants for other teachers in their schools and districts and across the state.

Special Focus Institutes

NWPNH offers special focus institutes on different topics related to the teaching of writing such as Writing Across the Curriculum, Writing for Children, Writing Our Communities, Writing and New Literacies in the Digital Age, and Argument Writing through the College Ready Writers Program. We also provide an open institute for newer and pre-service teachers.

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