



WRITING YOUR WAY 2017

Welcome, Young Writers, incoming grades 6-9! Join us for an exciting time of writing, talking, reading—and more writing!

In these workshops students will turn their notebooks to a new page. They will locate the stories they carry, take risks in writing, learn to turn memory into fiction, fiction into poetry. They will write to a wide variety of prompts while honing skills through craft lessons that build both language dexterity and knowledge of genres. Though narrative can often be used as introductions to expository writing, these workshops will emphasize creative writing rather than persuasive or informative essays.



About the Instructors

All OWP instructors have completed an intensive four-week summer institute on the teaching of writing. In addition, all have participated in a year-long, follow-up class, as well as a professional development workshop series devoted to creating curriculum for *Writing Your Way*.

“My daughter, who was in the writing workshop for 6th and 7th graders, raved about her teacher. She learned a lot and enjoyed herself. Thank you!”

- Parent of a 2016 participant

These courses focus on learning effective teaching strategies, prompts, and pacing to implement in middle school classrooms. These educators also appreciate the humor, honesty, and energy of grade 6-9 students.

SESSIONS & LOCATIONS

IRVINGTON SCHOOL

INCOMING GRADES 6&7

A. June 26-30, 9 a.m.–noon

B. July 10-14, 9 a.m.–noon

INCOMING GRADES 8&9

C. June 26-30, 9 a.m.–noon

D. July 10-14, 9 a.m.–noon

WEST SYLVAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

INCOMING GRADES 6&7

E. June 26-30, 9 a.m.–noon

INCOMING GRADES 8&9

F. June 26-30, 9 a.m.–noon

Irvington School, 1320 NE Brazee St., Portland

West Sylvan MS, 8111 SW West Slope Dr., Portland

COST \$175, \$100 for free or reduced lunch students (verified by school)

See reverse for registration form

OREGON WRITING PROJECT

at Lewis & Clark College

SUMMER PROGRAMS IN PORTLAND

Writers' Program 2017 Registration Form

Writer's Name: _____ Nickname: _____

DEADLINE for submission of form: ONE WEEK BEFORE SESSION BEGINS

Student's Information:

I am enrolling my student in (*please CIRCLE one session letter*):

Session A — Incoming grades 6 & 7 — June 26 – 30 — Irvington School

Session B — Incoming grades 6 & 7 — July 10 – 14 — Irvington School

Session C — Incoming grades 8 & 9 — June 26 – 30 — Irvington School

Session D — Incoming grades 8 & 9 — July 10 – 14 — Irvington School

Session E — Incoming grades 6 & 7 — June 26 – 30 — West Sylvan Middle School

Session F — Incoming grades 8 & 9 — June 26 – 30 — West Sylvan Middle School

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Best Daytime Contact Phone (s): _____

Parent(s) email Address: _____

School September 2017: _____

Grade Sept. 2017: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Male ____ Female ____

Health/Emergency Contact Information:

Name of Emergency Contact: _____

Best Daytime Phone Number(s): _____

Student's Physician: _____

Physician's Phone: _____

Allergies, if any: _____

List medical issues that our staff should know about: _____

Payment Information:

Check enclosed payable to Lewis & Clark College _____ Charge to my VISA/Mastercard _____

Card Holder Name (*please print*) _____

Card No. _____

Exp. Date _____ / _____ V Code (*on back*) _____ **Circle amount: \$175 or \$100**

Card Holder Signature _____

Card Holder Phone Number _____

Submit this form and payment to:

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