

What is Modelled Writing?

Writers need observe experienced writers at work in ways that will help them to write more effectively themselves. Write-aloud lessons, known as modeled writing, will help your students, demonstrating how writers actually go about constructing various kinds of texts.

Modelled Writing:

- Supports reading and writing development
- Develops the writing process
- Provides opportunities for teachers to model the joy and the struggle of writing

How is it done?

- The purpose of the write is explained.
- Often we connect a write to mentor texts.
- The teacher models the write.
- The class can read the piece together, and from here criteria can be developed.
- We can ask students, “what is a strength in my writing that you will take to your writing today?”