

PLAN WITH PURPOSE

Introduce the 6 Traits to establish a common vocabulary to talk about writing.

STRATEGY #1

Reveal a set of visual icons.



STRATEGY #2

Teach a set of song lyrics.



STRATEGY #3

Read mentor text that exemplifies each trait.



Mini-Lesson

Introduce a trait of writing

Writing Time

Dabble with the trait during Independent Writing Time

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Search "Plan a meaningful Writing Time to follow each trait introduction.

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