The summer Youth Programs are sponsored by the PA Writing & Literature Project (PAWLP), West Chester University (WCU), select area school districts, and several private locations. Classes are small, averaging 13 - 15 students. Students are grouped by age and grade level, and our teachers are prepared to teach multi-age classes. All students contribute self-selected writing to a literary anthology.

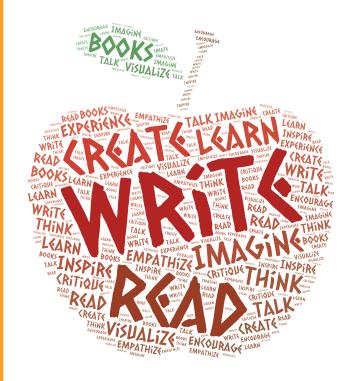
The goals of the program are:

- to inspire students to love writing and reading
- to introduce students to the tools they need to become better writers
- ✓ to encourage students to collect writing ideas in their notehooks
- to stretch students' capabilities in writing and reading
- ✓ to help students learn to read like writers
- to help students see themselves as writers with individual voices, unique in their manner of expression

A CAMP FOR KIDS WHO LOVE TO WRITE AND READ!

Staffed by experienced teachers who are Fellows of the National Writing Project

Sessions at West Chester University and selected sites in Bucks, Chester, and Montgomery Counties



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WCU WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY **2019** 35th Summer

YOUNG WRITERS/YOUNG READERS

Summer Enrichment Camp for Children and Teens

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COURSE OFFERINGS

READING AND WRITING WITH THE ARTS, GRADES 1 AND 2

Enjoy playing bongo drums, singing, moving, and listening to music combined with writing and reading activities. Also explore creating art and song with your writing.

(two weeks at WCU)

YOUNG WRITERS/YOUNG READERS, Grades vary by Location

Learn the writing process in a relaxed, non-threatening camp environment. Try age-appropriate strategies and gain confidence in your writing. Compose, share, explore new genres, edit, and confer. You will also share and explore quality children's literature. Students are grouped according to grade levels. There are separate classes for different age groups.

(two weeks at West Chester University and in sponsoring school districts)

FANTASY, SCIENCE FICTION, AND HORROR WRITING, Grades 6 – 11 Only

If you've spoken "to the darkness, alone, in the bitter watches of the night" then come and explore three powerful genres that can put a story to what you've seen.

(two weeks at WCII and Groveland)

SAT PREP,

GRADES 10 - 11

The College Board said that 1.6 million kids take the SAT each year, yet 57% of them lacked the skills to succeed in college. The redesigned test was created to measure the abilities successful college students possess. The SAT now has a reading, language and writing, math, and an optional essay test. This course will cover basic standardized test taking skills, vocabulary, and instruction with practice and feedback on the reading, language/writing and essay portions of the test. This class is designed for students who will be juniors or seniors in the fall.

(one week at WCU, \$150)

DATES, TIMES, LOCATIONS, GRADES, & COST

WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY - JULY 8 - 18

classes held Monday-Thursday.; 1-4pm

Grades 1-11

\$275 by May 3/\$325 thereafter

GROVELAND ELEMENTARY/CENTRAL BUCKS SD - JULY 22 - AUG 1

classes heldMonday-Thursday;; 9am-12pm

Grades 1-11

\$275 by May 3/\$325 thereafter

SCHOOL TBD/LOWER MERION SD - JULY 15 - 25

classes held Monday-Thursday,; 9am-12pm Grades 2-5

\$275 by May 3/\$325 thereafter

UPPER DUBLIN HS/ UPPER DUBLIN SD - JULY 15 - 25

classes held Monday-Thursday; 9am-12pm

Grades 1-8

\$275 by May 3/\$325 thereafter

Grade levels spans indicate participants should be completing one of these grades.

Program fee includes basic writing supplies, a camp t-shirt, and a \$100 non-refundable administrative fee

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Accommodations for individuals with disabilities are available upon request by calling 610-436-6931. Please make your needs known as soon as possible, but not less than one week in advance, to allow time for the necessary arrangements.

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