Northmead Writing Journey

Writing Topic

- Engaging
- Age and interest appropriate
- Boy focus
- Activate senses
- Focus on language feature and not facts
- Non-fiction has TFW aspects
- To free up cognitive overload 'write not think'
- Fictitious non-fiction
- Can be linked to foundation subjects, guided reading and other areas of the curriculum
- Genre will have application across curriculum

Hook

- To stimulate enjoyment and positivity
- Encourage engagement
- Move the imagination
- Activate senses
- Immersion in topic
- Discussion
- Speaking and listening

Stimulus

- Drama
- Film clips
- Sound clips
- Experience
- Specific location
- Trip
- Visitor
- Smells
- Book
- Poem
- Fakes
- Letters
- Requests
- News

Cold Write

- Write in genre
- Sets objective purpose
- Sets topic
- Edited and evaluated
- Marked against AFL criteria
- Evaluated
- AFL success criteria adapted as needed
- Set targets
- Address gaps
- Add intervention
- Assessment for learning
- Make additions