Resources for Strategies for Student Success with Writing

Tips for scaffolding the writing process

Faculty Resources and Faculty Information Literacy Toolkit, Teaching and Learning, University of British Columbia Library.
-Resources for developing research assignments focusing on literary skills, example assignments

Skene, A. and Fedko, S. Assignment Scaffolding, CTL - Educational Technology, University of Toronto Scarborough.
-PDF with suggestions for assignment scaffolding, example writing to learn assignments, strategies for successful scaffolding

Tips on Teaching Writing, The Writing Centre. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.
-Several examples of in-class writing exercises for scaffolding brainstorming, organizing, drafting and revising
-Handouts on writing, including understanding assignments

Tips and scaffolding to help students become better writers in the discipline

Examples of scaffolding for assignments

-Details scaffolding used in their research proposal assignment (Table 1), including a freewriting component.


Examples of writing to learn/low-stakes writing activities

-Microtheme writing and example questions at different levels of Bloom's taxonomy and for different purposes (e.g. stimulate discussion, etc.).
**Examples of writing to learn/low-stakes writing activities**


  - Several examples of low-stakes writing activities

**Resources for students**

- The Writing Process. The Writing Centre, University of Toronto Scarborough.

  - Handouts out for students on all aspects of writing process, plus worksheets/tips for students on editing and proofreading

- Writing. Academic Support, Student Services, The University of Nottingham.

  - Handouts on the process of writing, preparation and planning, technical advice, editing, proofreading

- Revision: Cultivating a critical eye. The Odegaard Writing & Research Center, University of Washington.

  - Details the difference between revising and editing/proofreading and provides tips/methods

**Growth mindset**


- Landers, H. Help Your Students Develop a Growth Mindset. Teaching@CSU, Colorado State University.

**Writing Across the Curriculum: comprehensive resources**


- WAC Resources. Writing Across the Curriculum, University of Alberta.

- Writing in the Disciplines and Across the Curriculum. Montclair State University.

**UBC Science Writing Resources for Learning**

- Science writing resources for educators and students.

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