### Seven<u>steps</u>

# **Workshop One**

## Seven Steps to Transform Writing

Learn the simple and powerful secrets to transforming student writing, then apply them the very next day!

### **Key Benefits**

- Rapidly improve writing results Many schools see an improvement of at least 10% in just 10 weeks.
- Based on effective pedagogy –
   Maximising collaboration, verbalisation and multimodal literacy.
- Curriculum-aligned Activities are aligned to the Australian Curriculum, covering multiple text types and ability levels.
- Ongoing support We offer a suite of resources to help apply what you've learnt.



Australia's
largest writing
literacy
educator





students have been taught the Seven Steps



## Agenda

Enjoy learning the Seven Steps with other teachers at our fun and interactive Workshop One.

Packed full of practical activities to try (and keep). You'll be ready to start teaching the next day!



Join us at one of our full-day workshops across Australia or online over 3 live and interactive Zoom sessions.



### **Session One**

- Step 2: Sizzling Starts Start with a bang! This fun and easy Step is guaranteed to engage your students.
- Step 3: Tightening Tension Learn how to build momentum in narrative, persuasive and informative texts to keep the reader hooked.

#### **Session Two**

- Step 7: Exciting Endings / Endings with Impact Know your destination before you start, and end your text in a way that satisfies the reader.
- Step 1: Plan for Success Learn how to brainstorm and develop ideas; use the Seven Steps writing graphs to structure narrative, persuasive and informative texts.

### **Session Three**

- Step 4: Dynamic Dialogue Use the right words from the right people to bring texts to life.
- Step 5: Show, Don't Tell Discover the power of 'showing' to engage the reader.
- Step 6: Ban the Boring Learn how to cut out the boring bits as you write and then as you revise and redraft.
- The Wrap (Putting It All Together) Put everything you've learnt into practice to create a group persuasive text.

'The results so far
have been incredibly
impressive and the impact
on the children's skills and
enthusiasm for writing
transformative.'

– Diahnn, Assistant Principal, Dural Public School