



**SCHOOL DISTRICT 60
PEACE RIVER NORTH**

A POWERFUL YEAR OF WRITING: EFFECTIVE WRITING INSTRUCTION AND ASSESSMENT

In-Person Workshop with Adrienne Gear

Audience: Elementary (1-6)



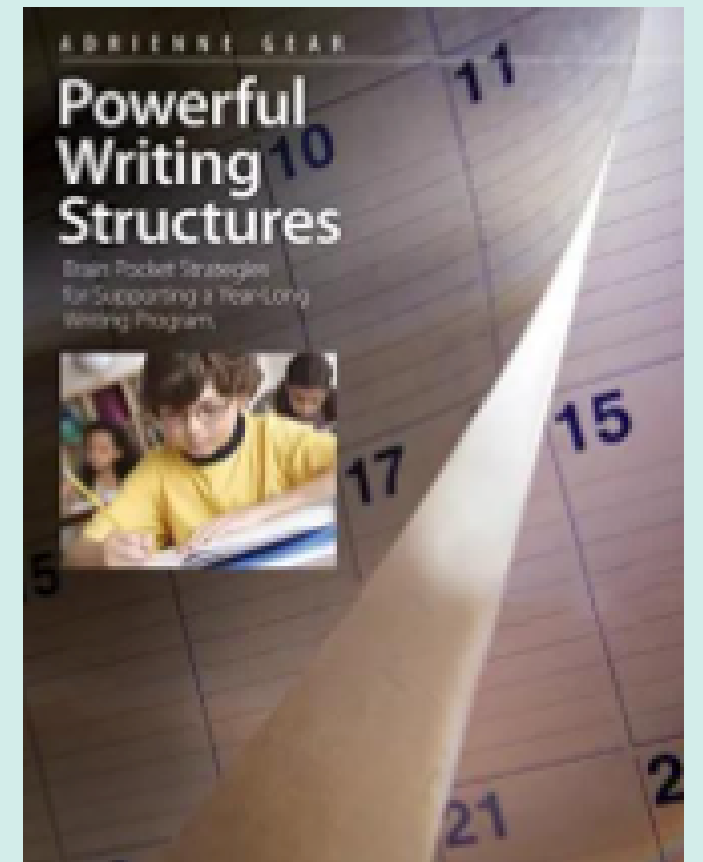
Saturday, Sept. 9 2023



8:30-1:30 (with two 20 min nutritional breaks)



The Northern Grand Hotel



REGISTER: We would like to get participants registered as soon as possible. Please email learningservices@prn.bc.ca to reserve your spot.

School District No. 60 is excited to welcome back BC author and educator Adrienne Gear to share ideas from her most recent book “Powerful Writing Structures”. Her book outlines an effective, year-long plan for teaching different writing structures including Personal Narrative, Nonfiction, and Story Writing. In this engaging workshop, Adrienne will outline an effective, year-long writing program and explore the many “how to’s” of teaching writing including how to use class writing goals to guide writers, how to use assessment to guide practice, how to implement an effective writing routine, and how to get students writing with more confidence and competence. Come to this workshop and leave with some ready-to-use ideas to transform your writing program from “Awww...Do we HAVE to write?” to “Yah! We GET to write!!!!”

Adrienne will be in the district for TWO sessions. First session will be on September 9th and the second on February 2, 2024. Early registration for the September session is appreciated to ensure the appropriate quantity of books and materials for participants..



Adrienne Gear has been an elementary teacher in the Vancouver School District for over 25 years. She is passionate about literacy, learning and inspiring teachers to reflect and refine their practice in order to best support their students. Her practical and engaging workshops are in high demand, and she presents at schools and conferences across Canada and internationally in the United States, United Kingdom, Australia, and Sweden. She is the author of 8 professional books (published by Pembroke/Stenhouse) for teachers in the area of literacy which have been translated into French, Danish, Swedish and Chinese. She currently lives in Kelowna with her family.