

# Creative Writing

Instructor: Megan Oldfield

Class Code : CW300

Tuition : \$30/semester

Length of Class (1st sem/ 2nd sem/both) both

Materials Fee : \$0

## Description:

This class will introduce middle grade students to some of the basics of storytelling then quickly move to exploring the essentials of fiction and poetry (plot, character, dialogue, setting, point of view, etc.). We will conduct fun, in-class writing exercises designed to explore the hard work and craft of creative writing, and students will also have the chance to respond to weekly journal prompts meant to get their creative juices flowing. By the year's end, students will be expected to write an original short story and poem by utilizing the materials and concepts covered in class.

This class will also serve as a gentle introduction to the workshop process, where students will learn how to give and receive feedback on their writing projects and those of their peers.

Enrollment: Min:

6

Max:

12

Pre-Requisites:

None

Required Text:

None required. All reading/writing assignments will be provided by the instructor.

Additional Materials:

Composition notebook/journal  
3-ring binder with lined paper for class notes (or you can use your journal)  
Black and blue pens, highlighter

## Contact Information

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