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7 STEPS to CLOSE THE WRITING GAP

[STEP
1]

Train teachers in the art and science of writing



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2]

Take advantage of talk and the rhetorical roots of writing



[STEP
3]

Explicitly teach and model the stages of the writing process



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4]

Offer pupils the gift of grammar, so that they can make informed writing choices



[STEP
5]

Concentrate on crafting great sentences



[STEP
6]

Prioritise disciplinary writing



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7]

Plan for focused feedback and assess writing excellence

