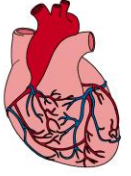


Tales of the Heart



Objectives:

- Understand and apply the 6 +1 Writing Traits.
- Understand and apply the Writing Process.
- Differentiate between fragments, run-ons, and complete sentences.
- Produce complete sentences with appropriate capitalization & punctuation.
- Identify topic sentences when reading informational texts.
- Create topic sentences appropriate to the focus of an essay or paragraph.
- Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English and those that do not.

I Can Statements:

- I can edit my writing using the 6+1 Writing Traits rubric.
- I can follow the Writing Process.
- I can tell the difference between fragments, run-ons, & complete sentences.
- I can write in complete sentences.
- I can identify topic sentences in texts.
- I can create topic sentences.
- I can choose words that are right for my audience.

Mini-Lesson Topics

1. 6+1 Traits of Writing
2. Writing Process
3. Sentence Structure
4. Topic Sentences
5. Considering Audience

CCSS

W.4.1a, W.4.2a, W.4.4, W.4.5, L.4.1, L.4.1f, L.4.2, L.4.2a, L.4.3, & L.4.3c