

## Elementary & Intermediate Weekly e-Learning Plan

Learning for the Week of: April 27 - May 1

Grade Level/Content: 4th Grade Writing

Learning Objective: Writers find an expert - that is, a mentor text - and that becomes your invisible teacher.

Estimated Time to Complete: 30 minutes

Success Criteria: I can use mentor text to inspire my writing.

**Essential Question:** How can I use a specific text to guide me into writing something new?

### **Phase 1: Get Ready to Learn:**

Step 1: You will need a digital device (Chromebook, iPad, etc.) and a writer's notebook \* In your ELA Google Classroom there is a Digital Writer's Notebook. Use this if you do not have paper or a journal at home.

### **Phase 2: Experience the Learning**

**Step 1:** Watch the mini-lesson video. She is going to ask you to pause it about 4 minutes into the mini lesson. [Mini- Lesson Video](#)

**Step 2:** Now that you have paused the video. [Link to Marley Diaz "Do Your Best, Without Worrying About Being the Best"](#)

**Step 3:** Now, go back to the mini-lesson and continue watching it.  
Here is the link to her written speech, [Marley Dias Speech](#)

[Checklist Anchor Chart](#)      [Checklist Example](#)

**Step 4: After watching the mini-lesson,** stop and think about what else you noticed.

**Step 5:** Jot down a few things you noticed in your writer's notebook.

### **Phase 3: Show What You Know:**

**Step 6:** - Choose a mentor text you are going to use to inspire your writing and take a photo of it

**Step 7:** - Choose a section out of the mentor text you chose and mark the place you will use to guide your own writing

**Step 8:** - In your Writer's Notebook, explain why you chose the mentor text you picked and why you want to use it

**Writers, let's keep the love of writing going by writing every day(15 minutes) and showing evidence of your writing lives.**

[Journal Prompts](#)

[Reading and Writing Bingo Board](#)

### **Extensions:**

I know some of you are having a difficult time with writing, here are some other options to extend your writing.

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