

NAPLAN Writing Package

We can provide resources and support throughout the entire process of running a trial writing assessment, including accurate marking against the ACARA writing guide rubrics. This can lead to an external review of a cohort's skills and communication with teaching teams on areas which need improvement.

Contact us to tailor a program that will help you identify areas for improvement in your writing program, as well as support as to how to implement effective strategies in the classroom.

Programs offered to schools (from Year 3-9) can include any combination of the following:

- Writing stimulus material similar to NAPLAN materials.
- Marking of each piece of writing by an external assessor.
- Feedback and explanation of student achievement against the ACARA writing guide rubric.
- Report on individual student achievement in the assessment, presented in a class by class format.
- Report on cohort achievement and areas for focus. Presentation at faculty meetings including suggested lessons/resources for improvement.
- Feedback to students (individual/grouped) about their progress and setting of individual writing goals.

Key Aspects:

- Experienced NAPLAN assessor.
- Can be the trigger for a more general view of how writing is taught and a move towards building your team's skills in the teaching of this very important skill.
- Can act as an impetus to consider the teaching of writing and how explicitly it may be done in your school's setting.

Contact <u>ben@englishlab.com.au</u> for further information and a quote.