

# ELEMENTARY YOUNG WRITERS' CAMP 2017



JUNE  
12-16,  
2017



**EANES ISD**  
AUSTIN, TEXAS

**Barton Creek Elementary**

GRADE  
2-5

## What is Young Writers' Camp?

Young Writers' Camp is a camp where students have opportunities to explore their interests in writing in small groups and to learn more about the craft of writing.

## Who should attend Young Writers' Camp?

Students who love to write, who seek feedback and guidance on their work, and who seek creative outlets for their work should plan to attend.

## Who teaches Young Writers' Camp?

Through a partnership with Texas State University, experienced Eanes teachers who have participated in the *Central Texas Writing Project* facilitate each session. Teachers are certified teacher consultants with the CTWP, a local site of the National Writing Project.

OTHER QUESTIONS? EMAIL THE CAMP DIRECTOR, KATIE OWEN, [kowen@eanesisd.net](mailto:kowen@eanesisd.net)

## Workshop Descriptions

### *The Passion Project:*

A passion project is something you work on that gives you satisfaction, happiness and puts you into a state of flow. It's what you do to escape it all. It's your tiny (or huge) contribution to the world. Join us as we explore topics we are passionate about and learn to connect those with our writing lives. We will also explore the world of TEDed Talks and bring our writing to life through mini TEDed sessions.

Instructors: *Rebekah Ellis*

*EISD Teacher, National Writing Project Teacher Consultant*



### *Imaginative Story Writing:*

In this writer's workshop, everyone will begin by reading and studying collections of creative writing from well-known authors. You will then explore your own imagination to create short stories, poetry, comics, songs, or whatever your heart desires. You will also discover literary techniques to enhance your writing. As Voltaire once said, "Writing is the painting of the voice!"

Instructors: *Kyndra Bowerman*

*EISD Teacher, National Writing Project Teacher Consultant*

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Additional CTWP Young Writers' Camps are being held in San Marcos and Round Rock.