



SMILE® WRITING

ON-GOING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

SCHOOL-BASED, TAILORED SESSIONS

Our teachers have become better teachers of writing as a result of on-going professional development that SMILE provides, which incorporates specific analysis and feedback on our student writing samples. -- Carolyn N. Wilkins, Principal of Bayshore Elementary

SMILE® Evaluation Validation Model

Description: This service is ideal for schools ready to independently monitor writing progress, ensuring that the SMILE Writing Rubrics and Skill Codes are applied to students' writing with accuracy. The school selects a site-based data validity person to serve as the SMILE contact and trainer. On a schedule approved by the principal, this person would be responsible for validating scores and skill codes within the school, and meet with teachers to review scoring practices throughout the year. Fidelity to the SMILE evaluation model will ensure that writing data generated by teachers is accurate.

Fee: \$900. Includes ½ day session and three hours of additional off-site support (validation checks and correspondences) from SMILE throughout the year. Travel fees apply for initial meeting. The initial training day may be shared with other schools in the district.

SMILE® Trend Analysis Session (SMILE manuals NOT required)

Description: A half day session in which the SMILE Consultant meets with one grade level (2nd – 5th available) for an in-depth and skill-specific analysis of writing trends (strengths and deficits) within each class and grade level (based on a timed assessment). The Consultant then recommends and models strategies that can be introduced to remedy grade level/class needs. School-based administrators monitor the application of these classroom interventions.

SMILE® Fourth Grade Advanced Skills Session (SMILE manuals NOT required)

Description: SMILE analyzes a school's fourth grade writing samples from the most recent FCAT Writing Assessment and then provides a tailored training (half or full day) addressing the strengths/needs of the grade level and individual teachers. Emphasis is on the skills needed in order to earn scores ABOVE 4.0 on the state rubric. This session is available to grade levels and teachers with an average above 4.0 on the state writing assessment.

SMILE® Transitional Training (4th Grade only – Teachers with Prior Training in SMILE)

Description: A half-day session for fourth grade teams ready to make the transition from the FCAT test-prep Rapid Results Program to the SMILE Writing Resource Curriculum.

SMILE® Collaborative Refresher Training (Teachers with Prior Training in SMILE)

Description: A half day session for schools seeking to set the tone for SY10 with tailored instruction regarding SMILE components, strategies, evaluation tools, monitoring recommendations, etc. The Session is intended for schools with prior implementation of SMILE, who have submitted a needs assessment.

I just wanted to thank you for coming to work with us this week on developing lessons for expository writing. I found your training session, as usual, to be excellent and very much worth the time spent. It was a nice refresher, and there were many new elements to your lessons.

-- Diana Adams, Teacher at Palm Beach Public

SESSION FEES

\$1500 full day/**\$750** half day (one school served)

**Travel expenses apply for trainings requiring travel outside of Indian River County.*

SMILE® WRITING DATA MONITORING REPORTS

***Stepford Writing Report (for schools who did not implement SMILE Writing)**

SMILE analyzes a school's fourth grade writing samples from the most recent FCAT Writing Assessment (using the FCAT CD from the state's DOE), uncovering areas the DOE would consider 'template' or 'formulaic writing' practices. A written report is provided.

Cost: \$750 per report (based on 4 classes) \$1,000 per report (based on 6 classes)

Score Validation Report (September - December)

SMILE validates teachers' SMILE scores and skill codes and provides written feedback (5 pre-scored and coded samples per class, using the SMILE rubric). Validation promotes consistency among the grade level so that data documentation is accurate for school administration. (Schools provide photocopies of papers for analysis). The Score Validation report may be combined with either of the Trend Analysis Reports below.

Cost: \$400 per report (based on 4 classes) \$600 per report (based on 6 classes)

Trend Analysis Data Panel Report

SMILE identifies overall strengths and need trends for each class set of writing (expository and/or narrative available separately). Class mastery percentages are identified for a variety of target skills.

Cost: \$330 per report (based on 4 classes) \$440 per report (based on 6 classes)

Trend Analysis Comprehensive Report

SMILE identifies overall strengths and need trends for each class set of writing (expository and/or narrative available separately). Class mastery percentages are identified for a variety of target skills and detailed, written instructional recommendations are provided to assist teachers with lesson plan design.

Cost: \$660 per report (based on 4 classes) \$990 per report (based on 6 classes)

***Performance Report**

SMILE evaluates student writing assessments (one date) with SMILE or FCAT scores and SMILE skill codes. SMILE enters all data into Track-It-Write™ and prepares final report for team.

Cost: \$660 per report (based on 4 classes) \$990 per report (based on 6 classes)

*** FCAT Prediction Report**

SMILE evaluates student writing assessments (one date) with SMILE or FCAT scores and SMILE skill codes. In addition, SMILE validates teachers' scores and skill codes (3 per class) AND provides detailed, written instructional recommendations to teachers to assist with lesson planning design. SMILE enters all data into Track-It-Write™ and prepares final report for team.

Cost: \$1,100 per report (based on 4 classes) 1,485 per report (based on 6 classes)

**These models require access to Track-It-Write™ (See Product Page on Website for information)*

Pricing based on off-site services. Additional cost for on-site meeting to review reports.

Schools provide original writing samples for analysis and cover all mailing costs for the following reports: Stepford Writing Reports, Trend Analysis Data Panel and Trend Analysis Comprehensive Reports and Performance Reports and Comprehensive Performance Reports.