References

The following is a list of references you can use to find worthwhile min-lessons and/or activities to help you teach THE WRITING PROCESS. Remember Six Traits Lessons should be taught as part of the writing process...they should not be the focus of ALL mini-lessons. Many of these resources are available from your reading specialist or from you building's professional library.

6 + 1 Traits of Writing: The Complete Guide for the Primary Grades by Ruth Culham

About the Authors by Katie Wood Ray

***Excellent Resource

Craft Lessons: Teaching Writing K-8 by Ralph Fletcher & JoAnn Portalupi

Nonfiction Craft Lessons: Teaching Information Writing K-8 by Ralph Fletcher and JoAnn Portalupi

Seeing with New Eyes edited by Northwest Regional Laboratory
***A Guidebook on Teaching and Assessing Beginning Writers

Scaffolding Young Writers: A Writer's Workshop Approach by Linda J. Dorn & Carla Soffos

Units of Study for Primary Writing by Lucy Calkins
***Excellent Resources

Wondrous Words: Writers and Writing in the Elementary Classroom by Katie Wood Ray

Writer's Workshop: Working Through the Hard Parts (and they're all hard parts) by Katie Wood Ray

