

Parent Guide to the '

# **Routine Writing Practice**

# Today's Standard

4.W.10 - Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.

# Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a research paper over several weeks; Journal writing daily; Composing letters to pen pals; Writing book summaries; Creating stories for a class anthology

## Today I Learned

Today, we learned about writing regularly for different tasks. This helps us get better at writing and thinking.

## **Common Stumbling Blocks**

Some kids think writing fast is better than fixing mistakes. Others think writing is only for school. Both are not true.

## Quiz Me

- Why is writing every day good?
- What should you do after writing a draft?
- Can you write stories just for fun?
- What is one thing you can write about?
- Why is it important to fix mistakes?

## Help Me

Writing helps us share ideas and tell stories. We can write letters, stories, or even keep a journal. Writing is important for school and for fun!