

Writing with Confidence

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Writing Warm-Up

- Where do you lack confidence in your writing?
- What do think would help you to build confidence in your writing?
- What is a subject, person, place, or event that interests you?



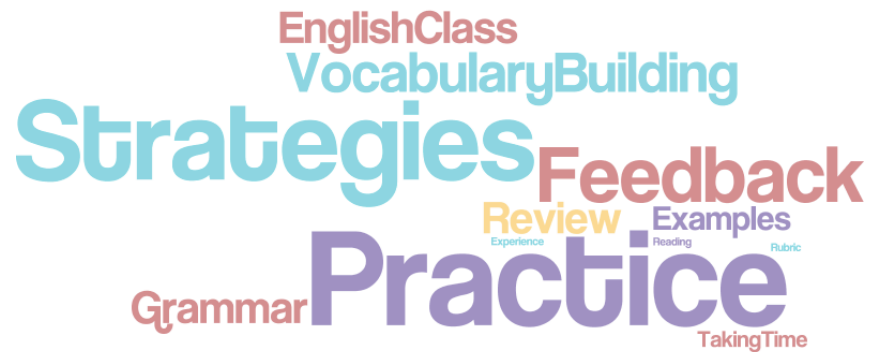
*Where do you **lack** confidence in your writing?*

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Vocabulary Spelling
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TimeManagement
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Assertiveness

*What would help you **build** confidence?*

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Vocabulary Building
Strategies
Feedback
Review
Examples
Practice
Grammar
Experience
Reading
Rubric
Taking Time

- Practice writing every day
 - Journal entries
 - Study questions & answers
 - Letters
 - Reviews
- Practice revising every day



- Strategies to organize
 - Thesis/Body/
Conclusion
 - Group like ideas
- Strategies to understand grammar and rules



Build vocabulary by:

- Reading
- Looking up new words
- Using new words
- Seeking out new words



- Get feedback from experts
 - Writing tutors in Sage Learning Center
 - English Teachers
- Get feedback from friends, classmates, study groups, and family

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Writing Cool Down

- What can you do today to build your confidence as a writer?
- What will you start to do differently as a student and a writer?



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Questions?

What other questions can I answer
for you?

Resources

- [Grammar Girl's Quick and Dirty Tips for Better Writing](#)
- [Sage Online Writing Lab](#)
- [Purdue Online Writing Lab \(OWL\)](#)