



"You want me to write? I'd rather have all my teeth pulled without Novocain than do that!"

Many people see writing as a stressful, painful experience that often develops excellent procrastination skills but little else. However, whether you enjoy writing or not, you should find this seminar different from other English classes you've taken. The Comerford approach is that learning to write and writing to learn can be both interesting and informative.

This is not a lecture course. Instead, you will be participating by writing, sharing, and, we hope, questioning. Research clearly shows that we learn by doing, so you can regard this seminar as a workshop to practice your skills as you are learning them.

Our overall goal is for you to become a more effective and efficient writer. Specifically, we will be looking at the following areas:

- ✓ Communication Pages 1-2
- ✓ Paragraph Performance Pages 3-7
- ✓ Sentence Sense Page 8
- ✓ Grammar Pages 9-10
- ✓ Word Wisdom Pages 11-16
- ✓ Writing Process Pages 17-23
- ✓ Document Models Pages 24-28
- ✓ Checklists Pages 29-30

*Two Commandments*

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Please take a moment and list some personal goals you have by completing this statement:

**During this seminar, I hope to learn or improve the following:**

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We look forward to working with you now and helping you after this course ends. Please call us at 317.786.6404 with questions you may have any time in the future.

Welcome to this class! Now, let's begin learning to write right.