## **Barry Lane**

## **Teaching Revision Strategies**

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### **Registration Information**

- **FEE** \$145 per person.
  - No confirmation will be sent. Your cancelled check or credit card statement will be your receipt.
- **GROUP RATES** available. Please call for information.
- **CANCELLATIONS** prior to the 48 hour advance notice period will be refunded less a \$15.00 cancellation fee. Later cancellations will receive credit to an upcoming workshop.
- **PAYMENT** is due prior to the workshop. No cash please. Fee includes seminar registration, a personalized certificate of attendance, refreshments, and a resource handbook.
- **Program Schedule**

8:00 Registration and Refreshments8:30 Morning Session11:30-12:30 Lunch (on your own)12:30-3:15 Afternoon Session and Refreshments

■ **MEETING SITES AND ACCOMMODATIONS**- please make your own hotel reservations directly with the hotel.

**Woodbridge** NJ Garden State Parkway Exit 131A Sheraton at Woodbridge Place: 732-634-3600

**Cherry Hill** NJ Turnpike Exit 4 Clarion Hotel of Mt. Laurel: 856-428-2300

**Saddle Brook** Garden State Parkway, Exit 159 Holiday Inn: 201-843-0600



# Teaching Revision Strategies

A hands-on workshop for teachers and administrators of grades 2-12

Presented by

## **Barry Lane**

Outstanding Educator and Author of <u>After the End</u>

Choose any of these one-day workshops from the following dates and locations:

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#### **Program Schedule:**

All seminars are scheduled 8:30 A.M.- 3:15 P.M. Registration is at 8:00 A.M.



## Learn Practical Strategies That:

- Teach the joy of revision
- Increase writing performance
- Improve test scores

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## **Program Highlights:**

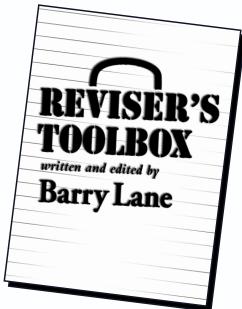
**Empower** students with concepts of craft to lift the quality of students writing

**Learn** new ways to combat the "its done" syndrome in writing

**See** examples of students work

Replace mindless listing with meaningful elaboration and vivid details

**Implement** practical techniques and exercises to motivate the reluctant writer



Receive this 300
page book by Barry Lane full
of revision strategies you can use all
year long in your classroom

#### Plus specific techniques for:

- Teaching about details and elaboration
- Curing the "then and then" syndrome in writing
- Writing better dialogue
- Manipulating time through revision
- Crafting effective leads and endings
- Inserting "snapshots" and "thoughtshots" in writing
- Creating memorable characters
- Building descriptive scenes
- Using an editing checklist
- Teaching grammar in everyday journal writing that leaves the students in control
- Providing effective conferences
- Helping students develop the habit of seeing the world in close physical detail
- Identifying and teaching to the individual revising needs of your students
- Using songs and stories to make learning fun
- Teaching the joy of revision through poetry
- Illustrating the reading and writing connection through revision
- Making peer conferencing work
- Reducing the paper load even with 100+ students

Create a classroom where kids love revision as much as professional writers do

Learn
elements
of craft
that move
students
writing
beyond
bland
formulas to
extraordinary compositions

## **Special Benefits of Attending**

- Learn about many available teacher resources and materials for students
- Meet continuing education requirements
- Teachers individual concerns will be addressed on a one-to-one basis

## **Revision Strategies**

## Revision is an ongoing creative process.....

.....not simply an act of correcting a rough draft or sloppy copy. Yet many students are unwilling or unable to revise their work. This idea packed conference will send you back to the classroom with scores of practical techniques and exercises in revision that can be easily implemented the very next day

## You'll take home your own 300 page Reviser's Toolbox!

You'll walk away with a gold mine of practical revision ideas to put to use all year long in your classroom.

## Inside you'll find ....

- Peer conference sheets that work
- Mini-lessons in crafting dialogue
- Dozens of reproducible lessons
- Ideas for playing with time in writing
- Classroom-proven lessons for using snapshots and thoughtshots in writing
- Guides for training good critics

- Tools for handing kids the editing pen
- Lessons on leads and endings
- Instructive and inspiring articles
- 15 Alternative research papers
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"This is just the kind of book teachers need, not a book that tells then what to do, but a book full of great ideas and examples they can use." Vicki Spandel, Co-author of Creating Writers

# Here is some feedback from Barry's workshops:

This workshop was just awesome. Barry kept the session fun and interesting. He used examples of everything he presented in order to reinforce his concepts.. Pal Zimmerman, Grade 1, Ct.

I've never been to a conference that went by so quickly! Within 15 minutes I already had ideas to use in the classroom tomorrow!

Ellen Roggenbuck, Grade 7/8 MI

Barry has the easiest and best techniques for making the fastest and most qualitative differences in student writing!

Debbie Perry, Grades K-8, MI

"I came to the conference with an armload of papers to "grade" and left with great tools for revision, none of which required a red pen."

Karen Frame, Grade 10, KY

# About the presenter:

Barry Lane is nationally known for his dynamite, hands-on workshops on writing and revision and his popular writing books, Discovering the Writer Within (Writer's Digest books), After THE END", (Heinemann), Writing as a Road to Self Discovery (Discover Writing Press) and his tape of original fairy tale songs, Lane's Recycled Fairy Tales (New World Records).

Barry has taught writing at the University of New Hampshire, founded a literacy program in Vermont prisons, and has served as a network leader for Vermont's statewide portfolio assessment project. Currently he is a lecturer and consultant to teachers and students throughout the United States and abroad.

Because of his wide range of experience as both a writer and teacher, he brings a unique perspective that teachers at all levels find enlightening. Barry's presentations are fast-paced, reality based, and filled with warmth and humor. Barry will show you what works in a manner so compelling that you will use his strategies in your classroom for years to come.



Bring a Workshop on the Topic of Teaching Revision Strategies to Your School.

For More Information or to Register

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