



**P-16 Faculty Collaborative:
Eagle Pass, Texas**

Seminar Title: Developing Rubrics and Effective Writing Assignments

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Location: Eagle Pass, Texas

Objectives: Participants who complete the sequence of seminars will:

1. Understand College and Career Readiness Standards (CCRS);
2. Understand the importance of and the differences between primary and secondary discursive practices;
3. Understand the "writing process" by composing low-, medium-, and high-stakes writing; and
4. Develop a rubric for assessment.

Schedule

Part I November 2010	Introduction: CCRS, Writing Pedagogy, Writing Assignments, and Rubrics
Part II December 2010	Forms of Evaluation: Assessing vs. Grading
Part III January 2011	Low-stakes Writing: Invention Strategies
Part IV February 2011	Medium-stakes Writing: Drafting, Peer-reviewing, and Researching Strategies
Part V March 2011	High-Stakes Writing: Revising and Editing Strategies