Composition Conversation #1
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Notes

Goals for Student Writers
● Writing with agency and for different audiences
● Become active producers and consumers of writing
● Develop adaptable language skills that can be transferred to other situations
● Writing as a mode of inquiry and transaction
● Recognize the connection between reading and writing
● Be able to articulate a problem or position and understand its implications
● Promote overall literacy skills
● Develop understanding and use of genre
● Promote information literacy
● Develop skills necessary for rhetorical analysis of texts
● Understand the relationship between message and medium

Types of Writing
● Public writing
● Life writing
● Workplace writing
● Academic writing
● Writing for pleasure/satisfaction
● Multimodal writing

Key Concepts
● Self-actualization
● Ownership
● Agency
● Situation and context