

# TEXAS **A+** CHALLENGE

## EMPODERANDO A ESCRITORES A RESPONDER A LA LECTURA/PREPARAMIENTO PARA STAAR TERCERO A QUINTO



### Entrenadores, especialistas y profesores de instrucción

### Join us on for our Spanish Language Arts Event

January 30th

Morning Session: 8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

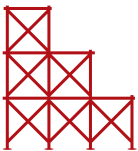
Afternoon Session: 12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

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Build student confidence and skill in responding to text through daily, explicit writing instruction! In this hands-on session, you'll explore effective scaffolding techniques to help students master both extended and short constructed responses, making text-based writing tasks accessible and manageable. Learn adaptable strategies for whole-group teaching, small group support, and one-on-one conferences. All resources and materials are available in Spanish. Don't miss this opportunity to transform your writing instruction—reserve your spot today!



**Daily Writing Instruction:** Engage in routines designed to integrate explicit, daily writing practice, supporting students' abilities to structure and respond to writing tasks with confidence.



**Scaffolding Techniques:** Learn practical scaffolding strategies that make writing tasks approachable, helping students progressively build their skills for complex writing responses.



**Extended and Short Responses:** Explore methods for teaching both extended and short constructed responses, providing students with tools to articulate their understanding effectively across various formats.



**Versatile Teaching Strategies:** Discover how to apply these writing strategies across whole-group instruction, small group settings, and one-on-one conferences, ensuring flexibility and targeted support.

### Nereida Bucio Gomez

Bilingual Literacy Coach  
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Nereida Bucio Gomez has 25+ years of experience in education. She has served as a bilingual teacher, an assistant principal, a literacy coach and as a Media Specialist/Librarian in Spring ISD and Houston ISD. Her passion is writing instruction since she has seen first hand how scaffolded writing instruction makes a big difference in students ability to express themselves. She shares her love for writing knowing that everyone has a story to tell.

*"It has been evident to me that her unique talent and passion for writing is her gift- one that she wants to share with other schools' principals, teachers, and students. Her experience and ability to analyze data, make a plan of action, conduct presentations, and her ability to genuinely support the teachers makes her a valuable part of an effective leadership team."*

~Zandra Aguilar  
Houston I.S.D.



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