



TOOL // Writing Feedback Cards

What is it used for?

This tool provides a structure for the teacher to give specific, descriptive feedback to students on their writing.

How do you use it?

The teacher punches a hole in the top left corner of a stack of index cards. A metal ring is attached to the top of students' writing books to hold the index cards.

During a student-teacher conference about writing, the teacher records a key goal for the student's next piece of writing on an index card and attaches it to the ring on the student's writing book.

The index cards make it easy for the student to refer to current and past writing goals and incorporate these in their next writing piece.

If the student forgets to implement a goal that was previously set, the teacher can move the index card with that goal to the front of the pile as a reminder.

