

Freewriting

Freewriting is writing down everything that you think of, without taking the time to censor your thoughts.

- ❖ **Don't** stop to decide if ideas are good. Just write them down!

- ❖ **Don't** worry about spelling or grammar.

- ❖ **Don't** review what you've written until you're finished.

- ❖ **Don't** cross anything out!

Focused Freewriting- involves beginning with a topic. Your original topic could be an assignment, a piece of literature, or a quotation.

Blind Freewriting- involves word processing. If you're using a computer for freewriting, try typing with a blackened screen. Your urge to edit sentences or ideas may be suppressed if your writing isn't visible to you.

