[](http://www.google.com/url?url=http://joyin6th.blogspot.com/2012/11/conferences-done-almost.html&rct=j&frm=1&q=&esrc=s&sa=U&ei=siQNVM-XJviIsQTJ64HQAQ&ved=0CB4Q9QEwBDg8&usg=AFQjCNFq6sWRjogxkAv1VFBOjRdF6G8r9g)**Types of Writing**

**Write opinion pieces**

Introduce the topic

State an opinion

Create an organized structure that lists reasons

Provide a concluding statement

**Write informative/explanatory text**

Introduce the topic

Group related information together

Include illustrations when useful

Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and details

Connect ideas with linking/transition words or phrases

**Write narratives of real or imaginary events**

Use descriptive details

Use clear sequence

Use dialogue and descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings

Use temporal words and phrases (time order)

Provide a sense of closure