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## **Introduction to the Writing Process**

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Hello. Welcome to the Nook and welcome to my section called the Writing Process. My name is Laurel Tucker and I am a professor at the Milledgeville campus of Georgia Military College. In my section of the Nook called The Writing Process, you're going to learn how to start an essay or finish an essay and whatever place that you are.

At this point in my section, I've divided the information into three parts called the Beginning, Middle and the end. Keeping it simple, easy to follow, easy to recognize. In the beginning, I want you to ask yourself questions. Thinking about the assignment, thinking about your time management, thinking about how to create an outline. These questions will help you dig a little bit deeper into what is required of your assignment.

What's expected of you, and how you will get there with all the information that you have. And do you have enough information ready for your teacher For this assignment? You will think about your resources and all of those little things to get you organized, and then you will create an outline. And in the section you'll learn about how to create that outline.

And why is that important? In the middle, you'll finish your first draft. In this first draft, it's a very important part of your writing process. You get all of your ideas

down on paper. You make sure that you've included everything that you need you to get the best grade possible from your teacher. You want to think about your purpose, you want to edit, you want to revise what?

To move information around as needed. You want to add new ideas. Delete things that you know are irrelevant. Making sure that you've included everything that you need and making sure that you have an included extra information if you don't need it. And lastly, we have the end. At the end you're finishing your essay. You're proofreading, you're revising. But maybe you've had a little bit of writer's block and you need some help to get through that stage.

In this section we talk about what do you need to do to upload your essay? What do you need to do to make sure that you've met the word count or you've met all of the qualifications that you need on the rubric that your teacher has provided. Going back and asking yourself all those questions about the deadlines and and making sure that you've met everything that you need to meet.

But most importantly, if you do find yourself in a little bit of writer's block, don't get discouraged. Just think about what we've talked about here and go through those steps to get through it. And seeing your writer's block will go away. I really encourage you to keep working through the process. Keep practicing and don't give up and make sure that you submit your essays on time by the deadline and you'll get the best grade possible.

Thank you for visiting my section of the Nook and I hope that you get a lot out of it. Have a great day.