

College Essay Writer's Block

Good writing takes work, and writer's block is serious. You add the pressure of college essay and forget, but there is an antidote, the need for expression is innate in all of us, and writing is just one avenue of that. Stay tuned and I will give you sure-fire techniques to really start writing right away. Thank you for joining me on my channel. For the best college essay advice, subscribe and hit the bell to be notified when I post a new video. Your generation is writing more than ever. With likes and Tweets and snaps and comments, I hope you like us down below, but you're writing, writing, writing all the time. However, writer's block for personal statement college essays is very real. Stick around. By the end of this video I will give you three tips to maximize engagement and get the [help with writing an essay](#) flowing and nudge your writing muse. Hi, I'm Dr. Josie with Write Your Acceptance. With over 10 years of experience, I know how to make the admission officers remember you, so stay memorable and now it's your turn. Tip one, start recording your thoughts and then transcribe them. Staring at a computer can psych anyone out if you don't have kind of what you want to say right away, but maybe you start an audio journal where you're recording on your phone daily intents, wishes, dreams, short-term/long-term goals, and so then you're slowly canvassing nuggets of information that are both informational but then also important to you on the more immediate, short-term, and then long-term goal. And all you're doing is basically talking to yourself on your phone, and then transcribing them and you have already information on the page. Tip two, conduct many interviews with your family members and friends. Ask them questions like what are three adjectives that you would use to describe me? When have you seen me at my best? And what have been the biggest changes that you've seen in me for the last four years? Friends and family will give you various, various, but very helpful information so start conducting as many interviews, and they could be again in that audio journal and then you transcribe the information. Do you have a fun way of beating writer's block? Comment below and share. We'd love to hear it. Tip three, come to language with an experimental attitude. Sometimes we are locked in with the conventions of the five-paragraph essay or argument, evidence, and history of paper of that. You want to come back as if you were finger painting as a child. Play with language again. Be experimental. Can time be impatient? Can a table be angry? Can it cross pollinate with regards to images and metaphors. Then after you settle on a topic, come back to this as well and see if you can attribute human qualities to innate objects, like I said the angry table, or the clock. The impatient clock reminding me of time, let's say. Kind of come back to this every once in awhile, but especially when you have that draft. Whether the writing is flowing or you're still struggling to copy that idea onto a page, think strategy and organization. I want to make sure as many students as possible go beyond just telling a pre-story and really maximize engagement and impress the admission officers. Also check us out on [WriteYourAcceptance.com](#). I have a free college essay template download for you there kind of to loosely pinpoint where you can put what information. But then also I have curated information and community videos, worksheets, presentations, examples that you can really maximize all of these tools and make the essay the best you can. I also offer personalized feedback as students go through my course to make sure that they are writing the strongest essay possible. If you found this video helpful, please give us a like and please comment below helpful, and please, please share with your college-bound friends