Writers make nonfiction books or articles to teach information about a topic they know a lot about.

- List topics you know a lot about.
  - What activities do you do? (examples: playing soccer, making slime, riding a skateboard)
  - What topics do you know about? (examples: sloths, planets, fashion)
  - What things do you like? (Pokemon, video games, candy)

- Select a topic you want to write about.

- Plan: What do I want to teach my readers about this topic? You might even make a table of contents to help yourself plan.

- Write a book that teaches about the topic.

- Elaborate on each page to teach even more.

**Ways to ELABORATE in the words**

- **DEFINE** it or give an EXAMPLE

- **DESCRIBE**
  - what it looks/sounds like
  - the importance of
  - the parts of

- **COMPARE** it
  - to something similar \[A = B\]
  - to something different \[A \neq B\]