

**Scroll down to see the November 17 Sacred Writing Time Slide that will be displayed in my classroom while I'm at NCTE this year!**



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# Sacred Writing Time



Did you come to class with an idea to write about?  
As soon as class starts, quietly make that pencil dance!

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## It's November 17.

Today is “Homemade Bread Day.” What are the three best smells in the world, according to you?

Trivial Fact of the Day: 20% of Americans think the sun revolves around the Earth.

Interesting Quote of the Day: “Sometimes the smallest decisions can change your life forever.” --Keri Russell (American actress)



Vocabulary Word of the Day: *placid* (adjective) – put this adjective in front of a noun that is calm or peaceful. What are three things in the natural world that could be described as *placid*? Hint: a lightning storm = not *placid*!