



Writing Centre - A Cooperation Scheme of Career Service and Centre for Continuing Education

## **GETTING INTO THE WRITING MOOD**

Sometimes it can be hard to start writing at all. These questions will help you to get into the mood for writing and they will help you to find your motivation.

## **Before writing**

Table 1: Getting into the writing mood – Before writing

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How am I feeling today?	
What am I looking forward to in terms of writing?	
What do I do to feel good while writing?	
Concerning the readers: Who is it? Why is s/he reading the text?	
What do I want to give to my readers?	
What is the main idea in one sentence?	
While writing Table 2: Getting into the writing mood – While writing	
How do I feel now?	
Why do I feel like that?	
How would I comment on my writing in one sentence?	
How could I change that if necessary?	

## After writing

Table 3: Getting into the writing mood – After writing

What made writing fun and enjoyable today?	
What do I plan for the next time writing?	

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