

# the radical write

## teacher's manual

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### **You must put your heart and soul into it.**

If you are not motivated to write well, you won't. If you're not willing to work hard, to spill your guts to total strangers, then your writing will never amount to much. But if take ownership of your writing, amazing things can happen.

1. Based on what you've learned this semester, what is the hardest part of the reporting process?
2. Explain how you have been turned on or turned off to writing as a high school student.
3. John Lennon of the Beatles once said he never finished writing a song. He and the other members of the band simply recorded the latest version. How does that relate to writing for student publications?