

MPH Global: Creative Nonfiction: Writing Your Stories

Level: Upper School, 9-12

Meets online on Tuesdays, 3:00 - 4:30 p.m., June 29 - July 27

Tuition: \$500

Description

Creative Nonfiction: Writing Your Stories is designed to introduce students to first-person creative nonfiction writing. The class will explore tools and strategies for capturing personal experiences in compelling stories. Participants will prepare short weekly writing assignments for individualized instructor review and for group discussion. Guest artist faculty Jeffrey Pepper Rodgers teaches the course.

Jeffrey Pepper Rodgers has combined his twin passions for words and music into a multifaceted career as a musician, author, and teacher. He is a grand prize winner of the John Lennon Songwriting Contest, founding editor of *Acoustic Guitar* magazine, and author of numerous books on guitar and songwriting. A "renowned guitar teacher" (*Boston Globe*), Rodgers has been a staff instructor at Ashokan Acoustic Guitar Camp and Lamb's Retreat for Songwriters, and for over a decade he has taught courses on songwriting and creative nonfiction writing at Syracuse University. To learn more about Mr. Rodgers, view his full bio <u>here</u>.