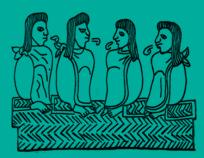
## WORDS TO POWER

## SHOWING YOUTH THE POWER OF THEIR WORDS







## SPOKEN WORD POETRY WORKSHOPS

"I learned that I have the power within me and to not be afraid to express it." –Emily (12th grade)

"...planted a seed into the minds of our students, who now truly understand the power of their own words and stories." -Guadalupe (5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher)

## **Workshop Packet Cover**



- designed and presented by <u>award-winning educator and poet</u> with <u>15+ years'</u> <u>experience</u>
- engaging, culturally relevant, and SEL framework
- supports 4th 12th grade Language Arts, Social Studies, English, ELA, etc
- application of <u>metacognition</u> to poetry, graphic organizer, <u>scaffolded writing</u> <u>prompts</u>, <u>open mic</u> style sharing, and <u>give-aways</u>

"I really liked how you told us to always say our story. I also like that you let us express ourselves by saying our poems out loud." –Dario (5<sup>th</sup> grade)

"The kids were really moved and inspired. You are influencing kids in ways you cannot possibly imagine." –Mary (ELA MS teacher)





- 60-75 minute workshops
- flexible partnership
  - o basic: one-time workshop in 1 or more classes
  - o intensive: 2-4 workshops in each class
  - o all-inclusive: 4 workshops in each class with presentation for peers/family
- <u>discounted pricing</u> (free/reduced lunch, entire grade level, multiple classes/sections, annual basis, etc.)