



Writing Prompts

1. Write a story about a character who has a secret power—but no one knows about
2. Imagine a city that existed long ago but has now been destroyed. What did it look like? Who lived there? How did it all end?
3. Write a story about a planet that hasn't been discovered yet.
4. Imagine you're a mermaid. Describe your under-the-sea home. Who are your friends? What does your house look like?
5. What if your pet could talk? What would you two discuss?
6. Create a daily schedule for a person who is as small as a snail.
7. If you had to choose one of the following biomes to live in, which would you choose, and why: desert, rainforest, deep sea, arctic, mountains, or tropics?
8. If you could become invisible, where would you go first? What would you do there?
9. Why do you think your parents chose your name? Does it suit you? Why or why not?
10. Imagine you live on a deserted island, and there's a big storm coming.
11. What is your earliest memory?
12. What would you do if you found a magic compass on the sidewalk that showed you how to get to wherever you wanted to go in under 3 minutes?
13. If you were the ruler of a kingdom, what would its laws be? Write a constitution for your society.
14. What would life be like if you were your favorite animal?
15. Is sweet or salty better? Write persuasively to defend your choice as if you had the chance to win a million dollars for making the best argument.
16. Write a step-by-step guide to being you.
17. Imagine you were the ONE person alive in the age of the dinosaurs. How would you spend your time?
18. Would you rather always be hot or always be cold? Decide, then write a story where the character is always too hot or always too cold. What are they going to do about it?
19. If there were a secret passageway in your house, where would you find it, and where would it lead?
20. If an alien landed in your backyard, what would happen?
21. What will life be like in the year 3000?
22. Are you most like an ocean, a gust of wind, a fire, or a tree? Why?
23. Write a letter to your current self from the future.
24. Imagine you lived in the mall.
25. Write a poem about one of your family members.