

Quick Writing Ideas from A to Z

A is for Alphabet: Students contribute a letter page for a class book

B is for Book Review: Students explore ways to interest others in a book

C is for Compare and Contrast: Students compare and contrast characters

D is for Dreams: Students record their dreams

E is for Expert: Students write about what they are an expert at

F is for Feeling: Students describe their different feelings

G is for Greeting: Students create greeting cards for different occasions

H is for Hero: Student generate brief sketches of their heroes

I is for Interview: Students prepare interview questions

J is for Joke Journal: Students collect jokes and riddles

K is for Kite: Students write from the perspective of a kite in the sky

L is for Letter: Write a letter to a character from a story

M is for Magic Lantern: Write about three wishes

N is for Name: Students write acrostics based on letters in their name

O is for “Once upon a time....”: Students rewrite a fairy tale

P is for Pet: Students describe favorite pets—real or imaginary

Q is for Questions: Students create questions they would ask a favorite character

R is for Recipe: Students create recipes cards with step-by-step instructions

S is for Senses: Students use a sensory-detail web to write about objects

T is for Top Ten: Students create their own Top Ten countdown lists

U is for Under: Students write about being under the water or under the earth

V is for Valentine: Students create a Valentine for someone special

W is for Weather: Students present mock weather reports

X is for X-Ray: Students imagine looking inside the body

Y is for Yellow: Students write color descriptions and color lists

Z is for Zoo: Students write informative signs for a zoo