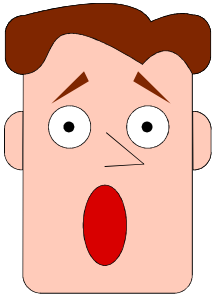


Fifth Grade Writing Prompts



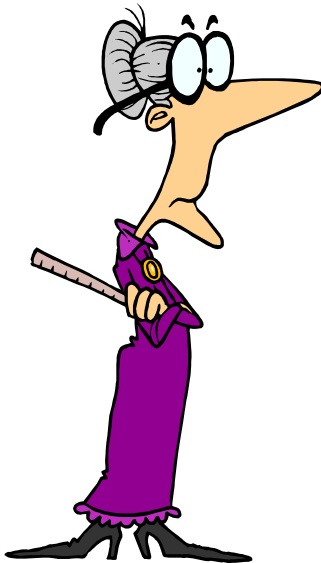
1. You were **actually** surprised this year on your birthday. What happened?
2. You decide to make a bar **graph** of some important information to share online. What is the information, and why do you want to post it?
3. What kind of **business** could you start with your best friend? How would you work together to run this business?

4. You've been chosen to **represent** your school in a statewide magic show. Your best act features a frog. Describe your act.

5. What are three most **necessary** qualities for success in school, and why?

6. Invent a new word that has at least five **syllables**. Give its definition, and use it in three different sentences.

7. Explain how you could figure how many grains of sand fit inside a **teaspoon**.



8. It's **Different** Day at school. You have different teachers, different classes and different friends. What will you miss the most?

9. Suppose there was nothing at all on your family's **schedule** for an entire week. What activities could you propose that everyone would enjoy? Why do you think these would be good choices?

10. You decide to **increase** the amount of time you spend exercising. What activities will you most want to try? Why?

11. Here is an **equation** that makes no sense: Purple + Zinnias = Spaghetti. Write another senseless word equation and try to explain it.

12. Your dog has picked up an unusual **scent**. He sniffed it in the kitchen, in the living room, in the basement, and on the street in front of your house. What is the source of the scent? What does your dog do when he finds that source?

