

15 Writing Prompts for 6th Grade

1. What is your favorite way to show your individuality?
2. If you could take any animal from the zoo home as a pet, which would you choose—and why?
3. What is the most adventurous thing you've ever done? What inspired you to do it?
4. Write a short story about the future. How will daily life be different 50 years from now?
5. What is the most important part of being a good friend? Why?
6. If you could go back in time to witness any single historical event, which would you choose? Why?
7. If you could invent any one thing, what would you create? Why? How would you create it?
8. Write about a time when you were not totally truthful with someone. What happened? How did you resolve the situation?
9. Do you consider yourself artistic? Why or why not?
10. Do you consider yourself athletic? Why or why not?
11. Would you rather spend time relaxing by yourself or with a group of friends? Why?
12. What does it mean to be a good citizen of a community?
13. What is something that would surprise your classmates about you? What do you think they would find most surprising about that fact?
14. Write a poem about your favorite day of the year.
15. If you met a genie that could give you any talent in the world, what would you ask for—and why?