

## Introduction

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# 1. What is the cloud?

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What is the cloud?  
Where are these files?



What are the limits or problems?



## 2.How to sign up and begin using Windows Office Live and Skydrive

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Get starte...

<http://workspace.officelive.com/en-us/>



Share  
Document...

<http://office.microsoft.com/en-us/web-apps/>

### Student Signups

Even though students can legally sign up for an email account at 13 years old, you should have a permission slip signed by the parents if you help the students to get an email address.

You can assign the parents the job of getting an email address for the students.

Make sure that the parents and you as the teacher have a copy of the password. In this way the students know that they are being observed and less likely to do anything that will get them in trouble.

### 3. What is Office Live Workspace?

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It is NOW called:

- **Office Web Apps on Skydrive**

### **Office Web Apps on SkyDrive**

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia  
(Redirected from [Windows Live Office](#))

**Office Web Apps on SkyDrive** is a part of [Microsoft's Windows Live](#) service that allow users to upload their [Microsoft Office](#) documents to the computing [cloud](#) and share them with other users. Users can also create, view and edit [Microsoft Office Word](#), [Excel](#), [PowerPoint](#) and [OneNote](#) documents from a web browser. Documents can be private, shared with specific contacts, or public. The service utilizes [Windows Live ID](#) for authentication.

This service is based on [Office Web Apps](#) and [Windows Live SkyDrive](#). It utilizes SkyDrive's storage space for the online storage of documents. Hence similar to SkyDrive, this service also currently offers 25GB, with a maximum upload file size of 50 MB.<sup>[1]</sup>

The service also integrates with [Microsoft Office 2010](#) where users may save their files directly onto Windows Live SkyDrive within the application's "Backstage view".

It was released as part of the Windows Live "Wave 4" update on June 7, 2010.<sup>[2]</sup>

## 5.The differences between Google Docs and Office Live Workspace

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### Comparison

Both Google Docs and Office Live Workspace are free services, but each has its own unique set of features.

### Storage Space

Microsoft Office **Live Skydrive** is limited to 25 G of space

I found it hard to pin down **Google Docs** storage space. Going into the basic information section of docs.google.com, I found two sentences stating: "Each user has a combined limit of 5000 documents and presentations and 5000 images," and "Each user has a limit of 1000 spreadsheets." However, an actual quota in MB was not specified.

### File Types

**Google Docs** is limited to the types of files their service allows you to edit online: HTML, .txt, .doc, .rtf, .odt, .xls, .csv, .ods, .tsv, .tsb, .ppt, and .pps.

**Office Live skydrive** allows you to upload all kinds of files, not only Office document file types. So, in addition, you can upload .PDFs, pictures, or seemingly any kind of file except those on the blocked list, which are blocked to protect users as they are file types Windows sees as executable files.

### File Sizes

**Google Docs** allows for documents of 500 K each, plus up to 2 MB per embedded image.

Presentations can be 10 MB in size. Spreadsheets can be 10,000 rows, or up to 256 columns, or up to 100,000 cells, or up to 40 sheets - whichever limit is reached first. Each spreadsheet can have up to 20,000 cells with formulas.

Regardless of the file type, **Office Live Skydrive** allows for individual files as large as 25 MB.

## Sharing and collaboration

OK, so Office Web Apps isn't a straightforward replacement for any existing Office products, but it does fill a few interesting niches. What if you own an older version of Office and need to access a document that has newer features? Office Web Apps will let you do that. What if you want to share a document with someone who doesn't have Office at all, or a particular Office application? Office Web Apps will let you do that. Or maybe you need to share documents with a Mac user, who has access to Word and Excel but not OneNote. Office Web Apps fills that need nicely too.

Office Web Apps also provides some real-time collaboration functionality, though this varies from app to app. In Excel Web App, for example, two or more people can edit an Excel workbook simultaneously via either SkyDrive or SharePoint, and changes are reflected in real time, for both editors. OneNote Web App lets multiple people take notes simultaneously to the same shared notebook, and this even works with the desktop version of OneNote as well, so users can mix and match. (Note sync is "near real-time," however.)

Word and PowerPoint Web App do not offer any collaboration functionality. However, the desktop versions of these applications do support co-authoring, and you can collaborate with others on documents that are hosted on SkyDrive or SharePoint.

PowerPoint Web App also offers one of PowerPoint 2010's best features: Broadcast Slideshow. So you can present a full-featured PowerPoint presentation to others remotely without even having PowerPoint installed on your PC.

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## 6. Uses of Office Live Skydrive, especially Sharing

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### SkyDrive: Tips

#### Featured tips



Share with groups



View files from a PC or Mac



Share using email



Share with your social networks



Use slide shows



Upload your photos



Work together on Microsoft Office docs



View photos from a mobile phone

- **To share files on SkyDrive with a group**

1. Go to [Windows Live SkyDrive](#).  
You might need to sign in with your Windows Live ID.
2. Navigate to the file you want to share.
3. Click Share, and then click Edit permissions.
4. Click Select from your contact list, and then click the group you'd like to share with.
  - Select a group of Windows Live contacts.

- With Windows Live SkyDrive, you can **create a folder** to store Microsoft Office documents or any other types of files. You can choose specific folders to share with everyone (Public folders) or with specific people on your Windows Live contact list. You can also set permissions for people viewing your folders.

- **Step 1: Click Create folder**

- On the command bar near the top of your screen, click Create folder.

- **Step 2: Give the folder a name**

- Enter a name for the new folder, and then select an option in the Share with list.

- **Step 3: Add files to the folder**

- Drag files into the Drop files here area, and then click Upload, or click Select files from your computer to find and upload files.

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- **Folder sharing made simple**

- Windows Live SkyDrive makes it easy to share your folders with the people you choose. You can share by sending a link to your folder or by **setting sharing permissions on the folder**.

- **To share a folder by sending a link to it**

1. Locate the folder you'd like to share.

2. Point to the folder, click Share, and then click Send a link.
    - Share menu
  3. Click to choose from your contacts, or enter the email addresses of the people with whom you'd like to share a link to your folder.
    - It's easy to share a link to a folder.
  4. Click Send.
- **To share a folder by setting permissions**
    1. Locate the folder you'd like to share.
    2. Point to the folder, click Share, and then click Edit permissions.
    3. Under Who can access this, move the slider to choose who you want to share the folder with.
      - It's easy to set sharing permissions for a folder.
    4. Under Add specific people, enter any additional names or email addresses you want to share with.
    5. Click Save.

## 7. Classroom Ideas

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### Ideas for classroom use

Teachers are using Windows Office Live both to **publish announcements about upcoming assignments** and to **monitor student progress** via an interactive process which allows you to give guidance when it might be of maximum benefit – while your student is still working on an assignment.

It's easy to **collaborate online with fellow students**, even when they aren't in the same place, and they can get feedback easily from teachers, parents, relatives and tutors, and enter updates anytime from anywhere.

### How to teach students to do collaborative essays

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Once the assignment is created and the student sends you his work. Have students contact you when they are finished or set up a time that you'll be viewing their document.

When correcting, make sure you don't write the essay for them. Underline incorrect sentences instead of correcting them. Add italicized suggestions or highlighted comments to point students in the right direction. Make sure your advice is clear.

Establish firm due dates--for example rough outline due on the 20th, rough draft due on the 23rd, final copy due on the 28th. As you and your students learn how to use Windows Office Live, the process will be highly time consuming. Once you and your students feel comfortable with the technology, and once they improve their writing skills, use the Web Apps and Skydrive for peer editing and revising.

# 8. Writing Template 1

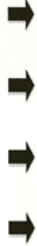
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## Writing Across the Curriculum

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_

### Key Points (3-5 words per Key Point)



### Summary Paragraph

Name It	Verb	Main Idea
Title		Subject
Author		Important thing about the Subject:
Genre		

### Summary Paragraph

Topic Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

Supporting Sentences (from Key Points) \_\_\_\_\_

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Continue on back, if necessary



# 10. Writing Template 3

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Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Course: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

## Key Points & Quotes

## 5 PARAGRAPH ESSAY – High School

**I Thesis**

\_\_\_\_\_

**II Topic Sentence #1**

\_\_\_\_\_

**A**

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**B**

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**C**

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**D**

**III Topic Sentence #2**

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**A**

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**B**

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**C**

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**D**

**IV Topic Sentence #3**

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**A**

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**B**

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**C**

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**D**

**V Conclusion**

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## Transitional words

### **Addition**

further, furthermore,  
moreover, in addition,  
additionally, besides,  
again, equally important,  
first, second, finally, last

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### **Comparison**

similarly, comparable  
in the same way, likewise

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **Contrast**

however, still, even so,  
nevertheless, for all that, on  
the other hand, on the  
contrary, in contrast,  
alternatively, notwithstandin  
g, at the same time, though  
this may be, otherwise,  
instead, nonetheless,  
conversely

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# 11. Writing Template 4

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## **Transitional words**

### **Time**

meanwhile, at length,  
presently, at last, finally,  
immediately, thereafter,  
at that time, subsequently,  
eventually, currently,  
in the meantime, in the past

### **Purpose**

to this end, with this object,  
for this purpose, for that  
reason, because of this x

### **Place**

at that point, opposite to,  
adjacent to, on the other  
side, in the front, in the back

### **Result – Cause & Effect**

hence, therefore, thereupon,  
accordingly, consequently  
thus, as a result, in  
consequence

### **Example**

for example, for instance,  
an instance of this,  
this can be seen in

### **Summary & Emphasis**

in short, on the whole,  
as I said, in other words,  
to be sure, in fact, indeed,  
clearly, of course, anyway,  
remarkably, I think,  
assuredly, definitely,  
without doubt, for all that,  
on the whole, in any event,  
importantly, certainly

### **Use these words when**

**you write your essay.**

**OK, maybe not all of them**

**at once.**

☺ Write 100 words per grade.

# 12. Journal Prompts

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## **JOURNAL Prompts**

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### **Journal Prompts: CAHSEE English**

Perhaps a good habit to get our students into is the habit of daily writing. Just like the Read-180 students are asked to read silent for 20 minutes a day, maybe the CAHSEE students could start each class period with a **Sustained Silent Writing period**.

Below are some journal prompts to get you started.

Grading Scale:

A 5 points 3/4ths of a page

B 4 points 2/3rds of a page

C 3 points 1/2 of a page

D 2 points 1/3rd of a pages

No make-up journals (absent = 0 points)

Students must write silently for the 10 minute block.

One point will be deducted if a student is off-task, disruptive, or "finished early"

Journals are a wonderful way to express ideas. There is no right or wrong way to journal. Respond in any way that makes sense to you. Be creative! Use your imagination! You may include illustrations, but the goal is to work with your words.

### **Journal Prompts by Essay Type:**

#### **Biographical Narrative Persuasive Expository**

Additional Prompts (download as a pdf)

1. If I were the teacher, I would...
2. If I could give one piece of advice to any person in history, that advice would be...
3. Describe a dream that you had recently. Provide as many details as possible.
4. The best lesson my grandparent (or parent or any relative) ever taught me was...
5. [on the day after the Grammy Awards are announced.] Do you think the right artists won? Why or why not?
6. Tell five things you'd like to do on your next birthday.
7. Imagine a friend of yours is considering whether to take steroids. What would you tell that friend to persuade him or her not to do that?
8. In 20 years, I will be...
9. Tell about an event in your life that has caused a change in you.
10. I was most angry when...
11. If you could design one room in a house to suit only your needs, what would it look like? (Challenge kids to be as fanciful as they like. For example, would someone have a desk made of chocolate?)
12. Describe your perfect vacation.
13. My worst mistake was...
14. [for high-school students.] Do you believe in love at first sight?

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15. If you and your best friend could have a free limo for 24 hours, where would you go and what would you do?
16. You have the freedom to travel to any city or country in the world. Where would you go and why?
17. What would you do if you were president of the United States?
18. You have an extra \$100,000 to give away; you cannot spend it on yourself. What would you do with the money?
19. The qualities that make a best friend are...
20. If you were an insect, what kind would you be and why?
21. Describe your room at home in detail. What are you proudest of and why?
22. [using a current local controversy] Do you agree with the decision? Why? Would you change if anything?

### **What?**

#### **What is...**

1. What is something you dislike about yourself?
2. What is something you do well?
3. What is your favourite room in your home and why?
4. What is a good neighbour?
5. What is the worst thing parents can do to their children?
6. What is your favourite time of day?
7. What is your idea of a dull evening?
8. What is the best way to treat meddlesome people?
9. What is something you are optimistic about?
10. What is something you are pessimistic about?
11. What is your most indispensable possession and why?
12. What is the meaning of "He laughs best who laughs last"?
13. What is your favourite song and why?
14. What is the best birthday present you ever received?
15. What is the best birthday present you could receive?
16. What is something that makes you feel sad?
17. What is your favourite book and why?
18. What is something that really bugs you?
19. What is something that really makes you angry?
20. What is the best advice you ever received?
21. What is your favourite holiday? What makes this holiday special?
22. What is your favourite day of the week?
23. What is your favourite month? Why?

#### **What if...**

1. What would happen if you could fly whenever you wanted? When would you use this ability?
2. What would happen if there were no television? Why would this be good? bad?
3. What would happen if everyone lived in space? What type of houses would they live in? What type of clothing would they wear? What type of food would they eat? How would they travel?
4. What if cows gave root beer instead of milk?
5. What if all the streets were rivers? What would be different?
6. What would happen if people never co-operated? Why do you think it is important to co-operate?
7. What would happen if it really did rain cats and dogs?
8. What would happen if animals could talk? What are some of the questions you would like to ask animals?

9. What would happen if you could become invisible whenever you wanted to? What are some of the things you could do that you cannot do now?
10. What would happen if everyone wore the same clothes?
11. What would happen if you threw a piece of trash on the ground? What if everyone did?
12. What if you could walk up walls and across ceilings?
13. What would happen if you loved your neighbour as yourself? What if everyone did?
14. What would happen if you grew taller than trees? How would this change your life?

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What would happen if children ruled the world?

16. What would happen if there were no cars, buses, trains, boats, or planes? How would this change your life?
17. What if everyone lived under water? Where would people live? What games would children play? What would school be like?
18. What would happen if you found gold in your backyard?
19. What would you do if a bully bothered you on your way home?
20. What would you do if you did very poorly of a test?
21. What would you do if a friend borrows things from you but never returns them?
22. What would you do if You were the teacher and everyone forgot his homework?
23. What would you do if you were in the middle of the lake and your boat began to leak?
24. What would you do if Your friend had a broken leg? How would you cheer him up?
25. What would you do if you saw little bugs in your salad?
26. What would you do if you woke up in another country and no one could understand you?
27. What would you do if you ordered an ice cream cone and you forgot to bring money?
28. What would you do if someone got in front of you when you were in line at the movies?
29. What would you do if your jelly sandwich fell upside down on the floor?
30. What would you do if only one hot dog is left and neither you nor your friend have had one?
31. What would you do if two of your best friends went to the movies without inviting you?
32. What would you do if the surprise party was for you but you weren't surprised?
33. What would you do if you got a present you didn't like?
34. What would you do if you were at home and your homework was at school?
35. What would you do if you dropped the cookie jar and it broke?
36. What would you do if you were invited to two parties on the same day?
37. What would you do if you promised to feed your pet and you didn't?
38. What would you do if someone said you did something wrong and you didn't?
39. What would you do if your new shoes felt fine in the store but now they are hurting?
40. What would you do if someone told you a joke that you don't think is funny?
41. What would you do if an hour before the party you remember you don't have a gift?
42. What would you do if a friend comes to your house and his/her mom doesn't know he's/she's there?
43. What would you do if you had four math problems marked wrong that were right?
44. What would you do if you found in the street?
45. What would you do if you found a magic wand?
46. What would you do if you wanted to be friends with someone who spoke no English?
47. What would you say if someone told you it was all right to steal from a large department store?
48. What would you do if you saw a friend cheating--report it, confront the friend, nothing--and why?
49. If you could have been someone in history, who would you have been?
50. If you could only take 3 people with you on a trip around the world, who would you take and why?
51. If you could give any gift in the world, what would you give and to whom?
52. If you could live anywhere in the world, where would it be?

53. If you received any sum of money as a gift, what would you do with it?
54. If you could do whatever you wanted to right now, what would you do?
55. If you were principal of this school, what would you do?
56. If you were a mouse in your house in the evening, what would you see your family doing?
57. If you were five years older you would...
58. If you were lost in the woods and it got dark, what would you do?
59. If it were your job to decide what shows can be on t.v., how would you choose?
60. If there were no rules, what do you think would happen?
61. If you owned a store, what would you do to discourage people from stealing from you?
62. If you could participate in an Olympic event, which one would you choose and why? If you could break the

Guinness Book of Records it would be for?

63. If you had to describe yourself as a colour, which would you choose?
64. If your friend told you of a secret plan to run away from home, what would you do and why?

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**What do you think...**

1. What do you think of 3D movies?
2. What do you think someone your age can do to help reduce the amount of pollution in our environment?
3. What do you think the world needs now?
4. What do you think your friends say to each other when you're not around?
5. What do you think about the amount of violence on T.V.?
6. What do you think about people polluting the environment?
7. What do you think about having set rules for people to follow?
8. What do you think about people who are inconsiderate of others?
9. What do you think should be done to keep people who are under the influence of alcohol off the road?
10. What do you think the world will be like when you are a grown up?
11. What do you think about ghosts?
12. What do you think of someone who has bad manners?
13. What do you think about people who take advantage of others?
14. What do you think about when you can't fall asleep?
15. What do you think courage means?
16. What do you think makes a good friend?
17. What do you think makes a happy family?
18. What pollutants do you think do the most damage and why?
19. What things do you think are beautiful?

**What...misc.**

1. What do you like most about yourself?
2. What do you like to do in your free time?
3. What kind of animal would you like to be and why?
4. What kind of trophy would you like to win?
5. What TV or movie star would you like to invite to your birthday party?
6. What does "Clothes make the person" mean to you?
7. What does "Have your cake and eat it too" mean to you?
8. What does "The early bird gets the worm" mean to you?
9. What do we mean when we say, "The grass is always greener on the other side of the fence"?
10. What does "You can't take it with you" mean?
11. What do we mean when we say, "You can catch more flies with honey than with vinegar"?

12. What do we mean when we say, "Hitch your wagon to a star"?
13. What does "still waters run deep" mean to you?
14. What does "There are two sides to every coin" mean to you?
15. What does Canada mean to you?
16. What are you afraid of? Why?
17. What are junk foods?
18. What are some nutritious foods that you like?
19. What are some rules you have to follow at home?
20. What are some examples of prejudice?
21. What is more important to you, appearance or personality?
22. What is most important to you in a friend--loyalty, generosity, honesty--why?
23. What is something that makes you melancholy?
24. What makes your best friend your best friend?
25. What makes you feel safe?
26. What makes you laugh?
27. What would you invent to make life better?
28. What would you do to entertain your family without spending any money?
29. What effects does watching violence have on people?
30. What effects do cigarette and alcohol advertising have on young people?

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31. What kind of t.v. commercial would you like to make? Describe it.
32. What kind of pet would you most like to have--monkey, snake, goat--why?
33. What kind of program do you enjoy most on TV--detective shows, comedies, game shows--and why?
34. What advice would you give a new student?
35. What advice would you give to someone who stole something but now feels guilty?
36. What things are better than going to school? Why?
37. What talents do you have?
38. What three words would describe you right now?
39. What four things are most important in your life?
40. What colour makes you think of happiness?
41. What has been the most fun activity at school so far?
42. What quality do you like about yourself--creativity, personality, appearance--why?
43. What eccentric behaviour in a friend disturbs you the most?
44. What parts of nature do you like best?
45. What do you do for exercise?

#### How...

1. How do you feel when it's your birthday? Why?
2. How do you feel on the first day of winter? Why?
3. How would you feel if you were going to be on a show? Why?
4. How do you feel when you do something wrong?
5. How do you feel when you do something that is very good?
6. How do you feel when you play a trick on someone?
7. How would you feel if a new child moved into your neighborhood?
8. How do you think the new child would feel?
9. How do you feel when you have had a fight with your best friend?
10. How do you think your friend felt?
11. How do you feel when you are in bed with the lights out?
12. How do you feel when you want something very badly and you cannot have it? Why is this so important to have?
13. How do you feel on a warm sunny day?

14. How do you feel when you stay with a babysitter?
15. How do you feel when you're leaving home on vacation?
16. How do you feel when you sleep at someone's house?
17. How do you feel during a thunderstorm?
18. How do you feel on the first day of school?
19. How do you feel when your parents are upset with you? Why do they become upset with you?
20. How do you feel on Thanksgiving? What are you thankful for?
21. How do feel on (any holiday)?
22. How do you feel when something scares you? What do you do when this happens?
23. How would you feel if someone told you that you were his or her best friend?
24. How do you feel about your appearance?
25. How would you change the world to make it better?
26. How do you think eating junk food affects you?
27. How do you have the most fun--alone, with a large group, with a few friends--and why?
28. Explain how to play your favorite game.

### **I wish...**

1. I wish I had a million... Then I would...
2. I wish I had one... because
3. I wish I could be like.... This person is special because....
4. I wish to be a \_\_\_\_\_ when I grow up. Then I will....
5. I wish there were a law that said..... This would be a good law because....

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6. I wish I could forget the time I ..... because....
7. I wish trees could..... because....
8. I wish I could see..... because.....
9. I wish I could learn..... because.....
10. I wish I didn't have to eat..... I don't like this food because.....
11. I wish everyone would learn to ..... Then everyone would.....
12. I wish I never.....
13. I wish I had one more chance to..... Then I would.....
14. I wish there was an electric.....
15. I wish I had enough money to.....
16. I wish everyone loved.....
17. I wish all children would.....
18. I wish everyone had.....
19. I wish I could touch.....
20. I wish animals could..... If they could, then.....
21. I wish I looked like.... because.....
22. I wish there were no more.....
23. I wish I didn't have to.....
24. I wish I could go to.....
25. I wish there really was..... If there really was, then.....
26. I wish I could hear.....
27. I wish I could give.....
28. If all my wishes came true, I would.....

### **Describe...**

1. Describe a time when you felt vengeful.
2. Describe your favourite toy. Why do you like it best?
3. Describe the most ludicrous outfit you can think of.
4. Describe the best teacher you ever had.

**When...**

1. When you are angry, how do you look?
2. When are you happiest?
3. When have you felt lonely?
4. When do you feel proud?
5. When was the last time you cried and why?
6. When a friend was in an embarrassing situation, what did you do?
7. When it might hurt their feelings, how do you feel about telling your friends the truth?
8. When might it be bad to be honest?
9. When someone picks on someone else, how do you feel? What do you do?
10. Once, when you were very frightened, what happened?
11. Once, when you were embarrassed, what happened?
12. Once, when your feelings were hurt, what happened?

**Which...**

1. Which quality best describes your life--exciting, organized, dull--and why?
2. Which quality do you dislike most about yourself--laziness, selfishness, childishness--and why?
3. Which place would you most like to visit--Africa, China, Alaska--why?
4. Which holiday has the most meaning for you-Independence Day, Thanksgiving, Valentines Day--and why?
5. Which is least important to you--money, power, fame--and why?
6. Which is most important to you--being popular, accomplishing things, being organized--and why?

**Who...**

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1. Who do you talk to when you have a problem?
2. Who is your favourite Star Wars character (or other movie/book/t.v. show, etc.)?
3. Who or what has had a strong influence in your life?

**Where...**

1. Where would you prefer to be right now--mountains, desert, beach--and why?

**Why...**

2. Why is it important to be honest?
3. Why is important to have good manners?
4. Why do you think adults smoke/drink?
5. Why is exercise important to someone your age?
6. Why do you think some people encourage others to smoke/drink?
7. Why do you think the rules you must follow are good or bad?
8. Why would it be good to be honest?
9. Why have men and women usually only done certain types of work?
10. Why should or shouldn't a man stay home to care for the house and children while his wife goes to work?
11. Why do you think some people take advantage of others?
12. Why do you think prejudice exists in the world?
13. Why would we say that someone is "passing the buck"?
14. Why would a President have a sign on his desk which read, "The buck stops here"?
15. Why do you think tact is an important quality?
16. Why is it not wise to squander your money?
17. Explain why we say, "dead as a door nail".

**Misc...**

1. Do you think there is too much fighting on t.v. Why or why not?

2. Do you think it is necessary to have alcohol at a party in order to have a good time?
3. Does it bother you to be around someone who has bad manners?
4. Should there be a dress code in places such as school, restaurants, and places of business? Why or why not?
5. Should animals be used for medical research?
6. Should the American Government financially support Olympic teams?
7. Should people be prohibited from smoking in certain places?
8. Families are important because...
9. Would you like to be famous? Why or why not? What would you like to be famous for?

## 13. More Classroom Ideas

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Writing and math help for middle school through senior high

<http://www.aolccc.com>

A zillion English prompts for writing practice with students

<http://staff.esuhsd.org/danielle/english%20department%20lvillage/journals.html>

Google for Educators Homepage

<http://www.google.com/educators/index.html>

Teaching how to do Revision writing

<http://www.google.com/educators/weeklyreader.html>

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#### **Windows Live Essentials**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-essentials?os=other>

#### **Sky Drive Tips**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-skydrive-using>

#### **Sky drive: how to share with groups**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-skydrive-groups-using>

#### **Sky drive: work together**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-skydrive-work-together-documents-using>

#### **Office Web App Tips**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-using>

#### **Office Web Apps: share documents**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-share-documents>

#### **Create a sky drive Folder**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-skydrive-create-folder-using>

#### **Share a Sky drive Folder**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-skydrive-share-using>

#### **Office Web Apps: create a Group for easy sharing**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-group-using>

#### **Windows Live Help Center**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-help-center>

#### **Windows Live Writer Help Center**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-writer-help-center>

#### **List of All Windows Live Services**

<http://home.live.com/allservices/>

## **Windows Live Mesh**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-mesh?os=other>

## **Windows Live Writer 2011**

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-writer?os=other>

## **Web Apps on Sky Drive**

<http://explore.live.com/office-web-apps-get-started>