

Student Link

Lesson Activity for Grade 8

Can Teach: Journal Prompting

Student Name: _____

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Open IE and surf to StudentLink. Click on the Grade 8 door and then select **Language Arts**. Under the **Writing** column, scroll down until you see the link for *Writing Prompts*. Click on it!
2. Beside the title, there are 5 hotlinks. Select the **About** link. Scan the information provided to briefly answer the questions below:
3. Ultimately, why was this site created? (one sentence)
4. How are these resources divided up / categorized? Explain.
5. Who is responsible for building and site maintenance?



6. Now, click on the link called **Elementary resources**. How many categories are listed? _____.

Here's one way of reviewing your *summary skills*. Click on the **Physical Education** link. Now, choose **Team sports / Games**.

How many games/activities are listed? _____. Choose ONE game and click on it. Read the instructions carefully before describing below in 4 sentences how to play the game.



7. Once you're done, click the "back" button 4 times to return to the main page. A comprehensive list of journal prompts and questions are listed. Scroll down the page slowly. How are these questions **grouped**? (There are **13 headers**; list 10 of them below).

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