



Literacy Builders: Writing Activities for Image Builders Scholars

Interview With An Elephant

Date: _____

Take turns pretending to be someone or something you aren't. The other person's role is to ask questions to try to discover who (or what) they are interviewing.

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____
3. _____	3. _____
4. _____	4. _____
5. _____	5. _____

Story Builder

Date: _____

To start the game, each person writes down 3 words. Take turns choosing a word. Write a story that weaves in all 6 words. Stories must be at least 4 sentences long. (For an interesting challenge, agree to write a certain type of story, or write from the viewpoint of a certain person or animal).

1) _____	1) _____
2) _____	2) _____
3) _____	3) _____

List Making

Date: _____

Decide on a topic that requires a list: favorite things, planning a party, things in a school, homework assignments, etc. Use your imagination and write a packing list for a trip to the beach, a fishing trip, going to the desert, going to the North Pole, etc.

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Roll & Write

Date: _____

Alternate turns rolling a pair of dice. The combined total is the number of words you must add to the story you will be writing as a team. For example, if you roll a total of 6, you might begin the story this way: **Once upon a time, a weird....** The next person rolls the dice and adds to the story at the point where you left off. Continue to roll and take turns adding to the story.
You may choose to develop the story in one setting or over time.

Word Pyramids

Date: _____

The goal of this game is to think of words that will fit within each row of the pyramid. For a greater challenge, think of words that are related in some way, create sentences.

