

## Tips for Young Writers:

1. Create **Ideas** from your life experiences, your interests, and creative thought; tell a great story!
2. **Organize** your ideas so the reader can enjoy and easily understand your writing.
3. Let your **Voice** come through in your writing and clearly speak to the reader in interesting ways.
4. **Choose Words** that are powerful and precise for clarity, effect, and impact.
5. Write sentences that **Flow** like a river; each new sentence is a bend in the stream or an exciting tumble over a rock, but the river is always flowing, always connected.
6. For your final draft, edit carefully to use correct **Conventions** and a creative and interesting **Presentation** to make your writing clear and enjoyable to read.