

Brainstorming Tasks

- Draw a map of the setting
- Make a list of words you want use in the poem
- Create a mind map of the points you want to make
- Create backstory for a character

Drafting Tasks

- Write the sentence that describes your picture.
- Write the introduction.
- Write the conversation between two characters.
- Choose a mentor text. Write your story using the mentor text's style.
- Write down the descriptions of the setting, then break it up into places in the story where you'll reveal that information.

Revision Tasks

- Highlight all of your verbs. Can they be stronger?
- Read your beginning and ending. Do they mirror each other?
- Read your story aloud.
- Have a friend read your story aloud to you.

Editing Tasks

- Highlight all of the beginnings of your sentences. Do you have a capital letter? Do they all start the same way?
- Correct spelling errors.
- Do you use the same words over and over again?