Ready Writing

Middle School Meet #2  
November 9, 2016

INSTRUCTIONS

Choose **one** of the following topics. Write the topic you have chosen at the top of your paper. Remember you should not use your real name or that of your school.

SIXTH, SEVENTH, & EIGTH GRADES

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| **TOPIC:** *Futurism* | The U.S. Cabinet is comprised of top leaders in major departments, such as Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, Secretary of Health and Human Services, Secretary of Agriculture, and so. Social critic and author, Kurt Vonnegut, has stated that the US should a “Secretary of the Future” – a person whose responsibility would be to help politician understand the impact of plans and laws 20 years from now. What types of laws should a “Secretary of the Future” analyze? Social issues, technology, environment? Write an essay explaining your opinion. |
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| **TOPIC:** *Classroom Cameras* | In 2015, the Texas Legislature passed a bill that would implement cameras in classrooms with special needs students. Some have argued that all classrooms should have classroom cameras to gauge safety, teaching and provide information in case of an issue. Write a paper explaining the possible benefits and disadvantages to cameras in your classroom. |