

## Seventh Grade Summer Writing

**Your summer writing work will build on your final unit in English 6.**

1. Please compose five pieces.
2. These compositions will reflect on & share what you have learned through your research.
3. Your work may be composed in at least two (or as many as five) of the following forms:
  - a) A short story  
*Note: If you write a longer story, each chapter counts as one piece of writing.*
  - b) A topical essay or report
  - c) A letter to or from your character
  - d) A journal entry by your character
  - e) A newspaper article discussing your character &/or their situation
  - f) A letter to the editor on the topic of children at work
  - g) A poem exploring this topic
  - h) A song on this topic
4. Each one of your five pieces should be a minimum of 150 words and a maximum of two pages (one page, front and back).
5. You are welcome but not required to incorporate artwork into your composition work.
6. Your work may be written by hand or typed.
7. Please be sure to put your name on every composition.
8. Gather your summer writing into a single portfolio or document.
9. Turn in your work on the first day of school!
10. **If you have questions, email Mr. Glazer: [steve.glazer@crossroadsacademy.org](mailto:steve.glazer@crossroadsacademy.org)**