

How often? Every two week?

How to score?

How to submit? Email?

Possible topics:

Me and others

- Introduction
- My sister/brother
- My father's/mother's job
- My best friend
- People I like
- Problems of young people
- What I think about fashion
- My strangest dream
- Who can be a hero?
- Would you do any voluntary activity?

My world

- My home town
- Which do you prefer - city life or country life?
- Holidays at home or abroad?
- I'm happy when...
- If I had a million dollars...
- Living as a teenager in my country

Hobbies and leisure

- Cost of CDs/DVDs
- My hobbies and interests
- My favourite pop group
- My favourite sport
- An interesting weekend
- An interesting film/book
- My last holidays in...
- Plans for my next holidays
- I have a dangerous hobby

Education and work

- Applying for a job
- Give arguments for or against teenage working
- My dream job
- My dream school
- My favourite subject
- School uniforms
- Schools in the USA/Britain and Germany

Healthy life

- What's my day like?
- What I like to eat...
- At the doctor's
- Try to convince your friend to stop smoking/drinking/taking drugs
- My attitude towards sport
- My favourite sports
- I like fast food
- I'm a vegetarian

Me as a consumer

- I like/don't like shopping
- Pocket money - how much do you get - how much do you need?
- Do you save money?

Life on earth

- My pet
- How can you save the environment?
- Endangered animals
- Skiing and the environment
- Why I like animals

Media and arts

- Do you like reading?
- Which do you prefer - reading a book or watching the film?
- I like my mobile phone
- I like watching TV.
- I like playing on the computer.
- There's too much violence on TV
- Success changes people - what do you think?

The world of English

- Life in Britain/the USA/Australia/Northern Ireland (or another English speaking country)
- Why should people speak English?

Past, present and future

- A day without electricity
- My future wife/husband
- How do you see yourself in 10 years?
- Christmas - an old tradition that should be kept or big business for the industry

Sources for writing ideas and prompts:

<http://bogglesworldesl.com/creativewriting.htm>

<https://www.theteacherscorner.net/daily-writing-prompts/>

<https://www.writeabout.com/ideas/>

<http://writingprompts.tumblr.com/>

<http://www.pearltrees.com/shellyterrell/inspiring-writing/id6557255#l221>

<http://www.oneword.com>

<http://plinky.com/>
<http://5card.cogdogblog.com/>
<http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/story-starters/>
<http://magneticpoetry.com/pages/play-online>
<http://creativewritingprompts.com/>
<http://www.plot-generator.org.uk/>

Good ones with ideas:

<http://www.macmillanreaders.com/resources/self-study-english/creative-writing>
<http://www.english-guide.org/category/others/writing>
<http://www.eslcafe.com/idea/index.cgi?Writing>
<http://www.eslwriting.org/>
<http://learnenglishteens.britishcouncil.org/skills/writing-skills-practice>

Interview a student from a partner country

voicethread – a picture is put there and everyone needs to talk about it, or a photo: use your imagination, where is it? who is he?

Informal email:

Writing an invitation, responding to an invitation, giving news, apologies, request, asking for advice, giving advice

Thank you note

Description

Article

Essay

Review