

Home Learning Tasks

Term 1

Here are all your written tasks for the term.

- *The first task is due on Thursday of week 4.*
- *You may choose the order in which you complete the other tasks.*
- *Each task will be due on Thursday of each even week. (Week 4: 22nd Feb), (Week 6: 8th March) (Week 8: 22nd March) (Week 10: April 5th)*

Criteria for each task:

1. *Each assignment must be 2 hours of work*
2. *You must focus on your writing goal for each piece*
3. *Each piece must be your best work, and be all your work.*

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Task 1 (Due 22nd Feb)	<p><u>Create an i-movie about yourself to share with the class.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Your movie must be 2-3mins in length- Start with an introduction. Who are you?- You could include information about your family, hobbies, friends, pets, favourite experiences, dreams, goals, people you look up to, home, anything else that you would like your classmates to know about you:)- Include music: Ensure you choose music to be relevant to you. Listen to the lyrics and melody.- Options: You could choose to create a stop/start animation, a draw your life option or simply use photos and movies to create something more simple.- Make it as engaging as you can!- Students will have learned basic imovie skills in class prior to this assignment being set, but just ask your classmates or teacher for help if you are having difficulty.

<p>Task 2 <i>Narrative</i></p>	<p><u>Perspective Writing: (story)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Imagine...You are an inanimate object of some kind... a clock, a desk, a pencil... Write a story to tell us what really goes on in your classroom! - Make it engaging! - What's it like being this object? What are the frustrations? What goes on? Use your imagination!
<p>Task 3 <i>Formal</i></p>	<p><u>Letter to an expert</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write a formal letter to either express your view on something or asking for something. - It could be a letter to the Wgtn city council letting them know what a great job they're doing! Or a letter to The Dominion Post expressing disappointment, or appreciation for an article they published. It could be a letter to someone you look up to, formally telling them the positive impact they have had on you. It could also be a letter to an expert asking them important questions that will help you with your project on The Wahine, later in Term 1. - For tips on formal letter writing check out this link.
<p>Task 4 <i>Expressive</i></p>	<p><u>Song or Poem</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write a song or a poem with an important message. - Choose something that you feel strongly about. - For tips on song writing click here