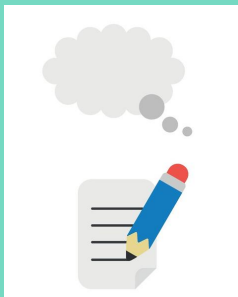


BALDWIN KIDS WRITE AUGUST 1 - 31



USE YOUR IMAGINATION AND ONE OF OUR WRITING PROMPTS TO CREATE A TALE, POEM, OR TRUE STORY.

EMAIL YOUR WORK TO **YOUTH.REFERENCE@BALDWINLIB.ORG** OR DROP IT OFF AT THE YOUTH DESK. ALL ENTRIES RECEIVED BY AUGUST 31 WILL BE INCLUDED IN A DISPLAY IN OUR NEWLY RENOVATED YOUTH ROOM.

WRITING PROMPTS ARE LISTED ON NEXT PAGE.

Writing Prompts:

A package is delivered to your door, with your name on it. Inside there's a magical book. Everything you write in it comes true. What do you write?

Write a poem about your favorite person, animal, or place.

If you could have any superpower, what would it be and why?

You find out that a dragon lives under your house. How did it end up there? Is it friendly? What kinds of things can you do with the dragon?

Write about an everyday hero. What do you admire about this person?

You pick up a shell by the sea and when you hold it to your ear, the shell speaks. What does it say?

You live on Earth now, but you come from a far-away planet. Tell us about your home planet and its inhabitants. How did you arrive on planet Earth?

My best vacation was when I went to _____ (fill in the blank). What did you do on your vacation? Why did you like it?

Your pet has eaten something weird and they can now speak. Write down a conversation you have with your pet and all the things you want to ask them (and their replies).