

| Homework night   | Activity   |
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| Monday night     | Write draft one, using pre-writing ideas, skipping lines.                                    |
| Tuesday night    | Read draft one to adult editor and re-write any changes in content and grammar.              |
| Wednesday night  | Write draft two with all new changes in cursive writing, skipping lines                      |
| Thursday morning | Your pre-writing sheet and two drafts attached to your direction sheet are due this morning. |



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- be in neat, cursive writing,
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## Thank You Hero Rubric

| Student<br>Self-Evaluation | My writing with final card has....   | Teacher's<br>Evaluation                 |
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| √ = 5 pts./√+ = 10<br>pts. | (100 pts. Total)   | √- = 3pts./√ =<br>5pts./√+ = 10<br>pts. |
|                            | 1. 5-8 sentences   |   |
|                            | 2. correct letter/ note format: date, heading, body, closing, signature                  |   |
|                            | 3. five areas of good writing: PURPOSE, direction, IDEAS, style, presentation            |   |
| <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>    | 4. correct spelling, complete sentences, correct punctuation, and capitals where needed. | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>                 |
|                            | 5. been completed on time.   |   |
|                            | 6. signature of adult who helped you proofread, on your draft one.                       |   |
|                            | 7. final draft printed from computer.  |   |
|                            | 8. a design appropriate for my note on colored paper.                                    |   |
|                            | 9. cut and pasted final print-out of note inside.  |   |
|                            | 10. my name printed on the back.   |   |