Story Starter for your Writing Journals

Adapted from <u>How to Get Your Child to Love Reading</u> by Esme Raji Codell

- Write a journal entry for a famous person in history.
- The title is "The kids on my street".
- What an awful bully! Describe how you will escape his/her clutches.
- Sometimes people are so silly. Write a "things to do" list for a very silly person.
- Write from the point of view of a raindrop.
- Write a diet plan for a hippopotamus.
- Why do leaves fall? Why does snow fall? Why are there rainbows? Write a fantasy story explaining something in nature.
- Write a list of things for an elephant to remember.
- You are the last dinosaur before extinction. Describe what you feel and see.
- Imagine your family is at a party. Describe what you see, hear, smell, feel, and taste.
- Describe the school of your dreams!

