

Write me a letter!

How have you done this nine weeks?

Use the chart below to organize the contents of your letter. Be super specific about the work you've done for this class this grading cycle.

Use full sentences and write like you're speaking to me. You can be informal (but not tooooooo informal). You can be conversational. You can be yourself and have fun with the writing. You should still follow the standard rules of capitalization, punctuation, spelling, etc.

Dear Ms. Palmer,

What this nine weeks been like for you as an English student? Tell me what grade you earned and why.

*Tell me the story of your **reading** this nine weeks. Consider victories and challenges.*

*Tell me the story of your **writing** this nine weeks. Consider victories and challenges.*

*Tell me how your **relating** has gone this nine weeks. Consider victories and challenges.*

How do you want next nine weeks to go? How will you make it happen?

Wrap it up and sign it off!

Make sure to:

- Use specific examples.
- Use book titles, use numbers (of minutes, hours, days, books, drafts, etc).
- Hyperlink documents, Include images, screenshots, etc.--of your book log, of writing, of anything else!--if necessary as evidence.
- Make sure to specifically reference your own goals for reading, writing, relating. See our class goals here:

READ

- develop reading habits and identities in and out of the classroom (such as an allegiance to an author or genre)
- increase complexity, variety & volume
- broaden your understanding of your world through diverse texts across time, place, gender, race, class, culture...

WRITE

- keep a writer's notebook
- write to think
- revise and publish for specific audiences and purposes
- read like a writer, using mentor texts to develop your sense of craft

RELATE

- engage authentically in small-group and whole-group conversations
- seek, use, and offer feedback in reading and writing
- practice curiosity and criticality in how you engage texts and others
- maintain responsible habits to honor yourself and your community

♥ Feel free to plan out your letter here ♥

<p>To what extent have I committed myself to reading? ____/10</p>	<p>What specific evidence could I show (screenshots, pictures, anecdotes) to prove this?</p>
<p>To what extent have I dedicated myself in writing? ____/10</p>	<p>What specific evidence could I show (screenshots, pictures, anecdotes) to prove this?</p>
<p>To what extent have I fostered positive relationships with the teacher and others in class? ____/10</p>	<p>What specific evidence could I show (screenshots, pictures, anecdotes) to prove this?</p>

