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Essay Writing Prompt: <All Saints' Day at Night >

Prompt: In the story, Tomek's family wants him to go to the cemetery with them. Why do you think it's important to them to celebrate All Saints' Day together? What holidays are important to your family to celebrate together

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Do What You Can>

Prompt: In the story, what would have happened to the farmer and his crops if the raindrop chose not to help him? How important is rain to the farmer's success? How does this prove the power of nature? Describe a time when you found nature powerful.

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Earth Day Birthday >

Prompt: How have you celebrated Earth Day in the past? What will you do for the environment next Earth Day?

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Jasmine Girl>

Prompt: In the story, Jodi and Shanti are described as best friends. How do they show each other that they care about one another? Describe a time that you did something nice for your best friend.

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Kissy Face>

Prompt: In the context of the text, how does James' family show their love for him? Why doesn't he like it? Does this mean that he doesn't love his family?

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Learning about the Solar System>

Prompt: In the text, the author states that there's still a lot that scientists don't know about our galaxy. Do you think scientists will ever know everything about our galaxy? Why or why not? What is one thing you want to know about our galaxy?

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Seeking a Hidden Hive>

Prompt: Guyo and his grandfather need the honey guide to find honey. How do they show their respect and appreciation for the honey guide? What are other examples of ways in which humans rely on animals? Do you think that humans thank animals enough for what they do for humans?

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Space Food>

Prompt: In the text, the author describes how astronauts eat in space. If you had to eat in space, what do you think would be challenging about it?

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Essay Writing Prompt: <The Champion of Quiet>

Prompt: In the short story, Maggie and her teammates have fun playing basketball, even though they lose. Why does this make them happy? Give an example of a time when you had fun just by being yourself.

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Essay Writing Prompt: <Tsunami>

Prompt: Write a poem that describes something in nature.

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