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Overview of YOUNG PIONEERS CREATIVE WRITING B (3rd Grade)

Tutor: Mrs. Leah Tyson
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Prerequisite: Creative Writing A or Writing Evaluation

Literature: Parents will need to read aloud to the student. Some of the writing assignments will connect to the literature.

- ◆ ***Charlotte's Web*** by E.B. White
- ◆ ***The One and Only Ivan*** by Katherine Applegate

Class Description: This class is for third graders who have a good base in reading. The students need to be independent in writing, able to form letters and sentences. There will be weekly writing assignments (homework) about topics close to home for the students. We will try to stretch our writing abilities in every direction: jokes, letters, descriptions, autobiographical writings, simple poetry, writing from pictures, and "how- to" papers. We will write some copywork in class each week, seeking to improve our style by handling the writings of great authors. This class is a tutorial class and homework will be required.

Supplies:

- 3 sharpened pencils in a zippered holder
- Eraser
- 3-ring binder (1-or 2-inch) with regular wide-ruled (not college-ruled) notebook paper.