

To be a great writer at Anniston:

- ✓ Stay on topic...write about what you are talking or thinking about.
- ✓ Have a strong beginning and a strong ending...sentences should be written in order as if you were telling a story, sharing an experience or giving directions.
- ✓ Write a variety of sentences. Some sentences should be compound sentences, some should be simple sentences and all sentences should keep the reader interested.
- ✓ Use vivid and powerful language to keep the reader hanging on your every word.
- ✓ Use correct capitalization, grammar, punctuation, and spelling.