



Student Activity: Adventures in Real Time

Find the best route to your destination

Assignment

In class you've learned about conflict and how it makes for drama and transformation in literature. You've also learned some practical techniques to resolve real-life conflicts.

For the next week, *keep track in your journal of the conflicts you experience*. Maybe you and your mother end up fighting over the same thing every day, or your little brother is driving you crazy. Maybe you've had the same argument three times with your best friend, or you just can't get along with your English teacher ☺

Choose one of the conflicts from your journal and use the techniques you've worked on in class to attempt to resolve it in a positive way. *Detail your conflict resolution "adventure" in a short composition.*

Your composition should have four parts:

Part 1: Describe the conflict.

Part 2: Detail the way you've tried to resolve the conflict. (Hint: Use the same techniques we used in class!)

Part 3: Describe the outcome of your attempt(s) and what you learned from it.

Part 4: Reflect upon the process. How did it feel to try to solve the conflict in this way? Will you use these strategies again? Why or why not?