

Famous Americans



What is your dream job and what will it take to make that dream come true?

Goal

In response to a prompt students will write a complete paragraph with an opening and closing sentence. (Students are writing independently.)

Scaffold

Teacher modeling of using prompt language to respond to a prompt. Teacher modeling of answering ALL parts of a question or multiple questions in a given prompt with evidence. Students should already have paragraph format foundation for writing by now.

ELA Standard:

2.W.TTP.1 Write opinion pieces on topics or texts. a) Introduce topic or text. b) State an opinion c) Supply reasons to support the opinion. d) Use linking words to connect the reasons to the opinion. e) Provide a concluding statement or section

Social Studies Standard:

History: 2.29 Examine the significant contributions made by people of the U.S.

The Plan

Teacher leads modeling of using prompt language to respond to a prompt. Teacher modeling of answering ALL parts of a question or multiple questions in a given prompt with evidence.

Implementation

Bubble Map

Perfect Paragraph Template

What is your dream job? What will it take to make that dream come true?

Be sure to include:

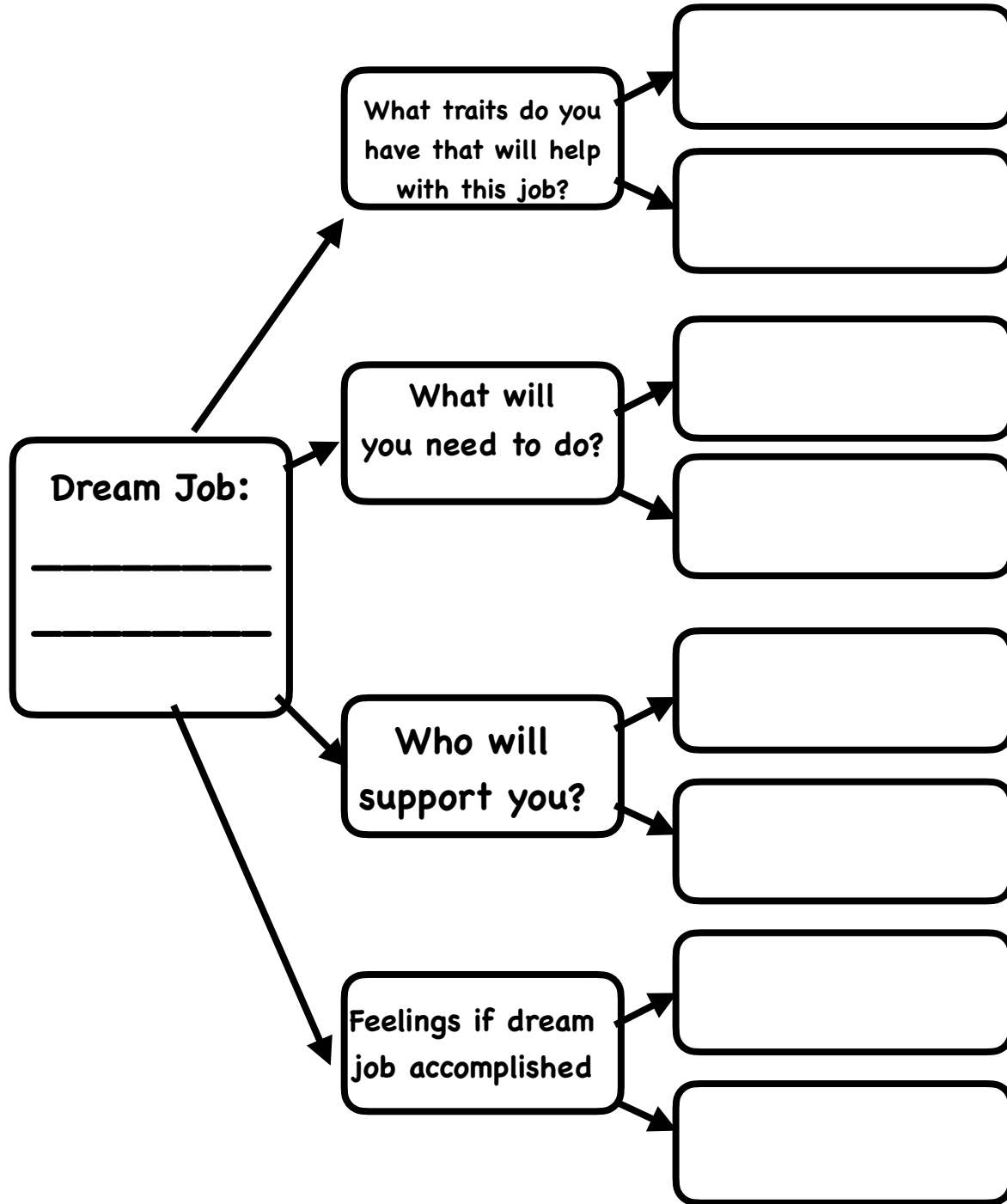
Language:

- Variety of sentence structures
- Accuracy in grammar, spelling, punctuation and capitalization

Details:

- An opening sentence that restates the prompt
- At least three sentences with details answering the prompt using evidence from the texts we have read
- A closing sentence
- Choice of words include some of the vocabulary words from the unit

Name



Name _____

My Perfect Paragraph

Topic Sentence _____

Detail _____

Detail _____

Detail _____

Closing _____

**Students will complete this
Independently using words like
first, then, next, last, etc.**