

# Sixth-, Seventh-, and Eighth-Grade End-of-Year Reflection Task

## Sixth-Grade Reflection

### *The Greatest Challenge*

Your task: Choose the piece of writing you felt was most challenging for you to produce and answer the questions that follow.

Title of your piece: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of writing (narrative/argument/informative): \_\_\_\_\_

Explain why this piece of writing was such a challenge. Was it the type of writing that you struggled with? Was it a grammatical skill that gave you trouble? Was the reading that accompanied the writing difficult for you? \_\_\_\_\_

If you could write this piece again, in what ways would you do things differently? \_\_\_\_\_

## Seventh-Grade Reflection

### *A Piece That Shows Growth*

Your task: Choose a piece of writing that shows your growth or improvement as a writer and answer the questions that follow.

Title of your piece: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of writing (narrative/argument/informative): \_\_\_\_\_

Explain which element (grammar, voice, vocabulary, etc.) of this piece of writing is the strongest and why. \_\_\_\_\_

Choose an element of this piece of writing that was once a weakness for you and explain how your writing reflects improvement in that area. \_\_\_\_\_

## Eighth-Grade Reflection

### *Writing for High School and Beyond*

Your task: Answer each question about your portfolio as a whole.

How does your writing portfolio show that you are ready to enter the next step of your life after middle school? \_\_\_\_\_

What did you learn about yourself when you compiled the information at the end of the portfolio? \_\_\_\_\_