

## The Answer is... *Persuasive Writing*

**Persuade** = to convince others.

- Use examples why your opinion is best.
- Explain why your examples prove your point.
- Tell why other ideas are not as good.



### **Essay #1**

Spring is a transition season between winter and summer. So which is better: hot or cold?  
(16-20 sentences)



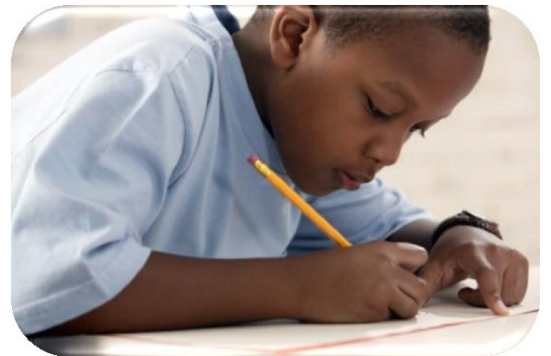
**Essay #2** Is there life on other planets? Or do humans just want to believe there is? If there is, then is it human, creature, or microscopic?  
(16-20 sentences)



**Essay #3** You have to go to school 30 hours per week.

Would you rather go five days for six hours or four days for 7½ hours?

(14-18 sentences)



### **Essay #4**

A) What's the problem with persuading someone with money, treats, or rewards?

B) How would you persuade James it's time for bed?

(18-24 sentences)