

Connectivity Level 5
Optional Writing Task

UNIT 2

WRITING TASK: Write a college application essay

To the Teacher: Hand out the next page to the students. Have students complete their writing task in the space provided.

Vocabulary:

Values: *compassion, curiosity, generosity, gratitude, patience*

GSE Objectives:

GLWP0281: Can write a letter of application with appropriate register, conventions and supporting detail. (65)

GLWP0465: Can structure longer texts in clear, logical paragraphs. (65)

GLWP0370: Can write about feelings and the personal significance of experiences in detail. (67)

GLWI0376: Can convey information and ideas on abstract and concrete topics. (70)

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Directions: Imagine you are applying to college. Write a three-paragraph college application essay. Include information about people who have helped you and ways that you have helped others. Use the following questions for ideas.

- What was a time when someone helped you in a significant way?
- How did that person help you?
- What did that person's help mean to you?
- What was a time when you helped someone else?
- How did that person react to your help?

Write your essay:

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