Sample Writing Prompts
6th grade


Narrative Text-Based Writing Task:
From the perspective of the bridegroom, continue the story in narrative format. Include internal dialogue and sensory language to reveal his motivation for killing the girl in the hut. Use relevant and descriptive details from the text in your narrative account.

Fictional Text-Inspired Narrative Writing Task:
As Natasha, write a letter to your father detailing the reasons why you do not want to get married to the bridegroom. Use relevant and descriptive details to give voice to Natasha’s character.

Informational Text-Based Writing Task:
The author creates suspense in this story. Track the development of the suspense throughout the text. Use relevant, sufficient, and accurate facts, details, and direct quotes to support your writing.

Argument Text-Based Writing Task:
Develop a claim arguing whether or not the author portrays an accurate emotional response from Natasha. Use relevant, sufficient, and accurate facts, details, and direct quotes to support your claim.