

Expository Writing Planning

WHAT ARE YOU WRITING ABOUT? Restate the **prompt** in your own words: _____

BRAINSTORM	Current Events (news, politics, celebrities, sports) ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼	Historical Examples ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼	Stuff I've read or seen (books, movies, articles) ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼	Personal Examples (mine or others) ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼
	CHOOSE EXAMPLES	Pick ONE specific example to use – what will you say about it?	Pick a SECOND specific example to use – what will you say about it?	
WRITE THESIS	What do your examples/reasons lead you to prove? Write that in your thesis statement here:			