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## Gabi's Tips for Young Writers

Answer these questions first then write a short story.

Visit <https://gabriellewang.com/tips-for-young-writers/> and read Gabi's tips. Fill in the blanks to complete the sentences from Gabi's website.

Write down your \_\_\_\_\_. Be a \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_. Ask loads of \_\_\_\_\_. Go to the  
 \_\_\_\_\_. Read what you have \_\_\_\_\_ out  
 loud. If you're \_\_\_\_\_, put your story away for a \_\_\_\_\_. You  
 will then see it with new eyes. Read it to your dog, your \_\_\_\_\_, your  
 mum, dad, \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_. Have a \_\_\_\_\_ or  
 your \_\_\_\_\_ handy to jot down \_\_\_\_\_ as they come. It's easy  
 to \_\_\_\_\_ them when you're on the go. Think of your life  
 \_\_\_\_\_, both the \_\_\_\_\_ ones and the \_\_\_\_\_ ones as  
 research for your \_\_\_\_\_. Have a good \_\_\_\_\_ between  
 \_\_\_\_\_, friends and your \_\_\_\_\_.



Answers: Write down your dreams. Be a private investigator. Ask loads of questions. Go to the library. If you're stuck, put your story away for a week. You will then see it with new eyes. Read what you have written out loud. Read it to your dog, your cat, your mum, dad, indoor plant. Have a notebook or your mobile handy to jot down ideas as they come. It's easy to forget them when you're on the go. Think of your life experiences, both the good ones and the bad ones as research for your story. Have a good balance between school, friends and your passion.