

## **INSPIRED YOUTH WRITING: “MY THREE ACADEMIC GOALS FOR THIS YEAR”**

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**Alfonso D., 6<sup>th</sup> gr.** One of my goals is to get A+ in all my subjects because if I get a D+ or F+ I can't go to 7<sup>th</sup> grade. I also want to pass the ISAT because if I don't pass that test I would not be able to pass 6<sup>th</sup> grade. I want to improve my reading and grammar.

This year I will like to improve in my social studies because last year I had a B+ but this year I will want to get an A+. I will also like to be on the chess team because last year I was on the chess team and chess helped me in math. I will like to read the second book about Harry Potter. I already read *The Chambers of Secrets*. It was about a diary that Harry Potter found but he never knew that he got the diary of Waldomore.

**Edgar R., 6<sup>th</sup> gr.** I have three academic goals. One of my goals is to improve my grades, which I will do by going to tutoring. Tutoring will help my grades go higher and not lower and it will help me with my homework.

Another is to do all my homework. I will stop playing the game system and do my homework first, then play the system.

My final goal is to pass 6<sup>th</sup> grade. I will study hard and do my best to make it to 7<sup>th</sup> grade instead of failing.

**Leslie A., 9<sup>th</sup> gr.** My 3 goals are getting all A's and B's, doing all of my homework, not missing homework, and getting to meet new people. One way about working toward these goals is to work hard and talk to the teachers to help me with their work sheets that they give us. I want to meet more people because I only have some friends, not a lot of friends, because I really don't know people, but I'll get used to new people. I should never miss a lot of homework because my points will go low, and I don't want to repeat one classroom.

**Sheila M., 4<sup>th</sup> gr.** I want to learn more multiplication. I want to read more about houses. I want to learn more to write better paragraphs.

I will get help from my tutor. I will practice more multiplication. I will read books about houses.

**Anahi M., 7<sup>th</sup> gr.** I have three academic goals. One of my goals is to get an A in math. Another of my goals is to get an A in social studies. My last goal is to be on the Honor Roll.

I'm going to try to get an A in math by doing the following things. First, I am going to pay attention in class. Second, I will turn in my homework. Finally I will study my multiplication tables.

I'm going to try to get an A in social studies by doing the following things. First I'm going to study for quizzes. Also I'm going to answer more questions in class.

I'm going to try to get on the Honor Roll by doing one thing. I need to get A's and B's in all of my classes. In order to get A's and B's I have to study, do all my homework, and pay attention.

In conclusion I want to get good grades in all of my classes. I have to work very hard but I could do it.

**Leoncio M., 4<sup>th</sup> gr.** I want to get good grades so that my mom could get impressed. I want to work good at math because sometimes I make mistakes. I want to work good at social studies because when I have a project I have to write a lot. I want to do good at tests because there are some questions that I don't know. I want to write good because sometimes I do mistakes. I am going to get good grades by listening to the teacher. I'm going to practice to get better at math.

**Judit L., 4<sup>th</sup> gr.** 1. Make science interesting.  
2. Read 5 books. 3. Memorize the times tables.

To make science interesting I will pay more attention. To read 5 books I'm going to read more at school and home. To memorize times tables you have to study at home and school.

**Kevin R., 2<sup>nd</sup> gr.** I need to learn about multiplication. I will use flash cards to help me learn. I need to learn about computers. I want to learn to tell time. I want to learn to paint. I want to learn to read.

**Jennifer R., 2<sup>nd</sup> gr.** I want to learn to read. I want to write better. I want to be better at math.

**Jahit H., 2<sup>nd</sup> gr.** I want to learn subtraction. I want to learn to read. I want to learn to play soccer.

**Melissa D., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** I want to read better. I want to learn more math. I want to do better in writing.

**Jaritzi E., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** I want to learn to multiply. I want to learn science. I want to learn how to write cursive.

**Valeria S., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** This year I want to do better at math adding problems. I want to read a lot this year. I want to learn how to write in cursive.

**Nathaniel B., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** I would like to learn about seeds. I want to know about animals. I want to know about cool stuff.

**Amaire P., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** I want to learn how to do division because I never know how to. I want to learn how to multiply big numbers. I want to learn how to write in cursive.

**Yulissa L., 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.** This year for school I want to learn division. I will work hard and do my best. I will respect my teacher and pay attention when she is talking and teaching. I want to learn all kinds of math. I want to learn how to write harder words.

**Jasmine S., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** My goals for this school year are to have good grades and to be good at math and science.

**Joanna S., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** Do you have some goals? I do. One goal is to pass the ISAT. Two is to have A's. Three is to be on the honor roll.

First of all, I want to pass the ISAT because I want to be in a better grade and be in high school and college. Also I want to have a good career.

Second of all, I want to have straight A's because that will help me to get a scholarship and a good education, also to get a good career.

Third of all, I want to be on the honor roll because I want to get medals for the honor roll, also because it helps to get A's and B's or just straight A's.

In conclusion: These are my goals for my academic school year.

**Jonathan D., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** One goal is to improve my writing skills. I plan to improve my writing skills by writing more essays. My second goal is to improve my long division and my long multiplication. I will improve by doing lots of problems. My final academic goal is to review chapters on my history

textbook. I will like to do this because on my last year's test, I got Bs but I want to get As this year. **Bsrat N., 7<sup>th</sup> gr.** My first and most important goal I have this year is getting straight A's on my report card by the end of this year. To accomplish this goal I have to study super hard every day and not misbehave. That leads me to my second goal: not getting any detentions and/or silent lunches till the end of school. I have to always turn my homework completed and in on time every day to achieve this goal. I also have to not talk when the teacher is talking or disrespect anyone at all. My final and last goal is to have fun in class and never doubt myself at all times. I will never give up on achieving my wonderful (very hard) goals!!

**Marleny R., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** First of all, school is one important thing. One thing is that you should get perfect attendance because you can get better grades. Another thing is the honor roll because you can get grades and you can see movies and you get very, very good grades. The last thing is to pay attention because sometimes teachers ask questions and you get a grade. Another thing what I want to do for school is that I want to get better at writing because I am not that good at it.

**Kallieo A., 6<sup>th</sup> gr.** Reading – I want to read more. Math – I want to learn more math. Science – I like science so I want to learn more about it.

**Brayant S., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** 1) Social studies – to get good grades. I had a lot of homework last week. I will do my homework every day. 2) I will get good grades at math! I study the math facts. 3) I will read at high level! I will read every day.

**Guadalupe M., 7<sup>th</sup> gr.** My three goals in this school year: I want to get good grades so I can go to a good high school. I will study very hard. My other goal is to do great in the I.S.A.T. To do this I will study and pay attention to the teachers. My last goal is to meet new people. To do this I will talk to them in school.

**Felix D., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** I will like to improve in math and writing so I can get good grades, so I can pass 5<sup>th</sup> grade, and so I can go to the honor roll for A, and A,B students, and I also want to get better at reading and spelling. (*Spelling edited*)

**Jonathan E., 5<sup>th</sup> gr.** I want to learn more about science. I want to learn more about math. I want to read faster.

**Isaac R., 2<sup>nd</sup> gr.** Goals for This Year: 1. Do more multiplication flash cards. 2) Do more division flash cards. 3) I want to get an A in social science.