**Choose your own story!**

**Choose one from each list below. Write your choices on your planning sheet. If you have an idea that is not on this sheet, ask your teacher. If you can’t choose, roll the dice and see what you get!**

**THEME- your story must have a theme: life lesson!**

1. Fight for what is right - good always wins
2. Never give up
3. Work together to solve a problem
4. Have compassion, be kind to everyone
5. Believe in yourself
6. Always tell the truth
7. Choices have consequences
8. Appreciate what you have
9. Appearances can be deceiving
10. Crime doesn’t pay off
11. Friendship can come in forms you don’t expect
12. Love conquers all

**PROTAGONIST**

1. A teenager
2. A kid
3. An elderly person
4. A wizard
5. A king, queen, prince, or princess
6. A mad scientist
7. A teacher
8. Knight
9. Community helper - firefighter, police officer, etc.
10. The president
11. explorer/adventurer
12. An animal

**CONFLICT**

1. A major storm
2. Moving to a new place
3. Something precious has been lost/stolen
4. Argument with someone
5. All the grownups disappear
6. Defeat something/someone evil
7. Being haunted by a ghost
8. Transformation - get turned into something
9. Accidentally teleported
10. Loses voice
11. Falls in the love with the wrong person
12. Loses a big bet

**SETTING** (you pick Past, Present, or Future)

1. A castle
2. The wild west
3. school
4. An abandoned house/cottage
5. A hidden cave
6. Outer space/spaceship/planet
7. A family farm
8. The jungle
9. The mountains
10. On a train
11. In the desert
12. A big city

**ANTAGONIST**

1. Alien
2. thief/thieves
3. A long lost family member
4. Zombie
5. An elderly person
6. A mad scientist
7. A witch/wizard
8. A bully
9. A computer/robot
10. An evil librarian
11. The mayor or president
12. animal, dragon, or mythical creature