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| **Writing Prompt Question:** |  |
| **R** | **R**estate the Question | * Did you restate the question in your own words using the **KEY WORD**?
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| **A** | **A**nswer the Question |  |
| **C** | **C**ite Evidence | * Did you use transition words? Refer to the “What does the text **SAY**?” handout.
* Do you have information from the text to prove your response?
* Do you have a direct quote from the text to support your response?
* Does your evidence relate to the question and to your answer?
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| **E** | **E**xplain the Evidence | * Refer to the “What does the author **MEAN**?”and “Why does it **MATTER**?” sheet.
* Does your explanation use some key words from the text?
* Does it explain fully, using “I know this because...”?
* Does it reuse the answer with some new wording?
* Did you make sure all parts connect?
* Do you have at least three sentences in our explanation?
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