

AT HOME WRITING PROMPT

Choose **one** of the articles from Science News for Students from the links listed below. Please address the following questions and points:

- Explain the research in this article.
- What interests you about the research topic or experiment(s) discussed in this article?
- Describe and discuss any science related connections from the article to what you have learned previously.
- What would you do next if you were the researcher?
- What questions would you ask the researchers if you had the opportunity to talk to them?

Please use your own words and work alone. Do not plagiarize or use other people to help construct your answers.

Student statement:

I certify that the work and writing that I have submitted in this application is my own.

Be sure to sign either as an electronic signature or print the form and scan it (a picture would also be acceptable).

Student Signature: _____

Date _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date _____

Links to choose from to write your essays:

[Turning Carbon Dioxide into Green Fuel-Chemistry](#)

[Medical Implants Crafted from Silk-Material Science](#)

[Analysis of Meteorites in Antarctica-Astronomy](#)

[How to Detect When a Seizure Will Strike-Neuroscience/Computer Science](#)

[Pulling in DNA from the Air-Biology/Genetics](#)

[Microbes Responsible for Body Odor-Microbiology/Chemistry](#)

[Microplastics Impact Earthworms Growth-Ecology/Biology](#)

Reminder: Email this application and writing task to tyesposito@chappaquaschools.org by January 31st at 5 PM in order to be considered for the course. Those completing this task will then need to complete a 1/2 hour writing task on Zoom on one of two dates: Tuesday, February 1st at 3 PM or Thursday, February 3rd at 3PM.