Kris Bales of Thought Co's Second Grade Writing Prompts
NARRATIVES

- What do you & your friend do together when it's raining outside?
- If you could switch lives with anyone in the world, who would you choose?
- Have you ever been scared?
- What meals would you include on the school menu & why?
- What if an animal at the zoo started talking to you?
OPINIONS

• What is the BEST bedtime story you've ever heard?
• When traveling with your family, would you rather sleep in a tent, RV or hotel?
• What is the best piece of equipment on your school's playground & why?
• What wild animal would you choose for a pet & why?
• What is your favorite day of the week? Why?
INFORMATIVES
• What animal would you choose for a class pet? Why? What kind of care would it need?
• What is your favorite food? How would you describe it?
• What is your favorite activity to do during your favorite season?
• What famous person would you like to meet? Why? How did s/he become famous?
• What is your VERY favorite animated movie? Why? How many times have you seen it?
RESEARCH PROJECTS

- What kind of dinosaur is your favorite? Why?
- What ocean animal do you find interesting? Why?
- Do you have a favorite planet? What is interesting about it?
- Are you curious about how a specific everyday object is made? What can you find out about it?
- Can you choose 2 animals that are similar & tell how they are the same & different?