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YARMOUTH YOUNG AUTHORS, 2022

In first grade, I hated to write. In third grade, I started to love it. This past year, I wrote when life got real hard. - ANNABELLE

Writing is a way to bring my characters to life. - EMMA

I write because it sharpens my imagination and allows me to vividly express my thoughts and ideas. I like putting my current ideas to paper. - JACK

Writing is a way to express my moods, escape daily life, show off talents, and calm myself when feeling stressed. - ELLA

I write because I can create stuff. - GABE

I write because I can communicate easily and express myself. - JESSE

I write to express myself, entertain others, and share my opinions. - AMELIA

I write because it's cool and epic. - OLLIE

I like to write poems and create images with words. - NOAH

I write because it is a way to show yourself without having to speak. It helps me express myself in ways other than talking, singing, or whispering. - EMMA

For me, writing allows me to express what I am thinking about. It allows me to run free in a never-ending world of curiosity and adventure. - JOEL

I write because it is fun, and I can make a story and have it turn out any way I want, and then people can read it. I write because I am in a camp where I write for five days in a row. - SAM

I write because it means people can know my thoughts without my having to say them out loud. I write because it's fun and I love to. - JOCELYN

Writing helps me to remember my thoughts. When writing, I create the world. - JASPER

I write because I can be creative, I don't get bored, I get absorbed into my characters' worlds, and I can share it with others. - AVERY

For me, writing means expressing the feelings that weigh me down in the moment. - ZELLA

I write because it allows me to express myself in different ways and it allows me to be myself. - AISHA

It's a lot more fun to scribble things down than to talk on and on. If no one wrote, there would be no books. - CAROLINE

I write because it is fun and allows me to tell secrets I may or may not want to tell. - MADELYN

I write so that my voice is heard from far away. I may not be able to talk to everyone, but my pen and paper travel farther than my voice and farther than the bounds of others' ears. - SIMONE

Writing is a way to express what I am thinking/feeling. Like a photograph, writing can capture what is happening. - ELLE

Writing allows me to express what I feel with nobody judging me. - DESSA