

# Pick the Right Writing

Students choose a writing form for a purpose and audience.

**1.P.CP.2.b** "Integrate modes and genres most appropriate to purpose and audience. (I/C)"

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

## 1 CHOOSE A FORM

|   |      |      |      |
|---|------|------|------|
| a | CARD | SIGN | LIST |
| b | LIST | CARD | SIGN |
| c | SIGN | LIST | CARD |

## 2 MATCH IT

|      |   |   |          |
|------|---|---|----------|
| CARD | • | • | VISITORS |
| SIGN | • | • | YOURSELF |
| LIST | • | • | FRIEND   |

**HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE**

Read each situation aloud and read the choices in every row. Students show how a card, sign, or list can fit a different reader and job by circling and matching.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

**PART 1 • CHOOSE A FORM**

**SAY** “Listen to each situation. I will read the three writing choices in each row. Think about who will read the writing and what it needs to do. Circle the kind of writing you would make.”

| ROW | SAY                                                                                                                                                        | STUDENTS CIRCLE |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| a   | Your friend has a birthday. Will you make a card, a sign, or a list? Circle the kind of writing you would make.                                            | <b>CARD</b>     |
| b   | People who visit need to know, “Please walk.” Will you make a list, a card, or a sign? Circle the kind of writing you would make.                          | <b>SIGN</b>     |
| c   | You are packing. You need to remember socks, a book, and a toothbrush. Will you make a sign, a list, or a card? Circle the kind of writing you would make. | <b>LIST</b>     |

**PART 2 • MATCH IT**

**SAY** “Look at CARD, SIGN, and LIST on the left. On the right are FRIEND, VISITORS, and YOURSELF. Think about birthday wishes for a friend, a short direction for visitors, and a packing reminder for yourself. Draw a line from each writing kind to the person who needs it.”

- **CARD** matches **FRIEND**
- **SIGN** matches **VISITORS**
- **LIST** matches **YOURSELF**

**WHAT TO ACCEPT**

Part 1 answers are CARD, SIGN, LIST. Part 2 matches are CARD to FRIEND, SIGN to VISITORS, and LIST to YOURSELF; accept clear lines that show these matches.