



ARE YOU . . .

- ? looking for a way to challenge gifted students?
- ? searching for a method to differentiate for students who yearn to do creative writing in an otherwise packed core curriculum?
- ? hunting for a technique to provide an enrichment opportunity for advanced learners?
- ? seeking a process to involve students in interesting topics like **impact of social media**, **processed foods**, **propaganda**, and **enhancing human potential**?
- ? trying to find a system to engage students in thinking about their future?

**THE
ANSWER**

Have your students participate in the SCENARIO WRITING component of Virginia Future Problem Solving!

SCENARIO WRITING



- ★ **Allows individual writers to create futuristic stories based on one of the FPS topics** (impact of social media, processed foods, propaganda, and enhancing human potential). See *this link for descriptors of each topic*: <http://vafps.org/topics.html>
- ★ **Reinforces the 6 Traits of Writing** and incorporates interdisciplinary opportunities because FPS topics cover concepts from science, social studies, and even health!
- ★ **Permits coaches the flexibility to use the program with one student, several students, or an entire class.**
- ★ **Provides deadlines for students and coaches.** The first round of feedback is on **December 6th**. A final submission must be completed on **February 7th**.
- ★ **Offers affordable registration.** The cost is only \$45.00 per entry, and a coach may enter as many or as few entries as he or she wishes!
- ★ **Gives student-friendly feedback for each entry.**
- ★ **Recognizes winners in each age division** (*grades 4-6, grades 7-9, and grades 10-12*). Winners are invited to attend the **State Bowl** in **April** which is at **Granby High School in Norfolk** this year . . . **AN EXCITING EVENT!**

ATTACHED, you will find an example of a scenario writing entry written by a SENIOR at Franklin High School related to the 2013-2014 topic, "Social Isolation."

<https://drive.google.com/a/ccpsnet.net/#folders/0B3erLjLvILyoRII5cGhMYk1oWG8>

PLEASE free to contact me with any questions on how to get started with your writers this year!

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