

BELLWORK

Directions: Pick one question/writing prompt to respond to. Answer with complete sentences as well as examples from the text when necessary.

1. *To Kill a Mockingbird* provides us with lovely images of childhood. Write a descriptive piece which captures the highlights from your own childhood.
2. Much of the advice Atticus gives the children is about tolerance and understanding. Write a reflective piece about the best piece of advice you have received in your life and how it has affected you.
3. Atticus talks to his brother about "Maycomb's usual disease". In your opinion, what is the state of racism in the world today?
4. In your opinion, what is behind the racism in the novel? Please support your answer with specific examples from the text, personal experience, or both.