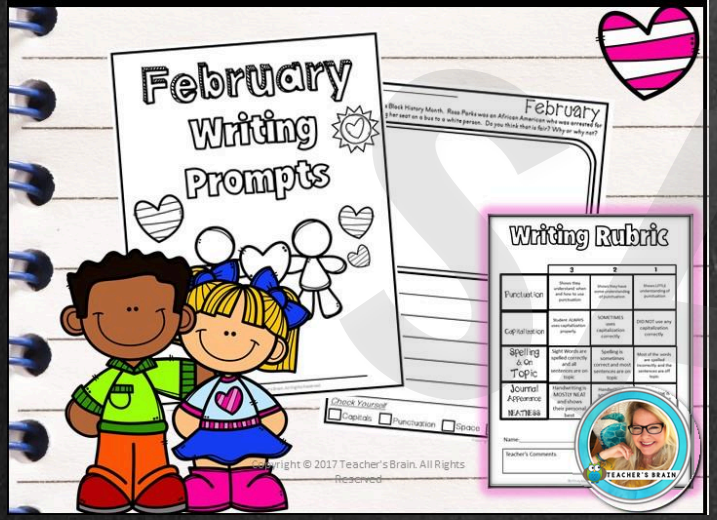
WRITING PROMPTS

FEBRUARY (29 Prompts)

Monthly Journal



Dear Teachers,

These writing prompts were made to encourage your students to write daily. You can use them as quick writes or add a second page of extra lines (Pg. 37) in between each prompt to encourage more writing. One of the student's favorite activities with these writing prompts was when I asked for volunteers to read their writing to the whole class. I only picked a couple a day because of time, but it is what motivated them to become better writers. They knew someone might hear their words. It gave their writing meaning.

There is a themed word bank in front of the journal with room for students to add their own words. This allows them to feel ownership when they get to add words they want to add to the list. I also would have students use the Self Check off at the bottom of each page to remind them of their writing expectations. Then, I asked them to each take a green crayon to highlight their capital letters, and a red crayon to highlight their punctuation. Happy Writing!

cindy

34 Pages
Cover Page
Included

NAME _____ February

You are in a contest to make the coolest mailbox to collect Valentine's Day cards. Draw what your mailbox would look like. Describe it.

Neat On Topic

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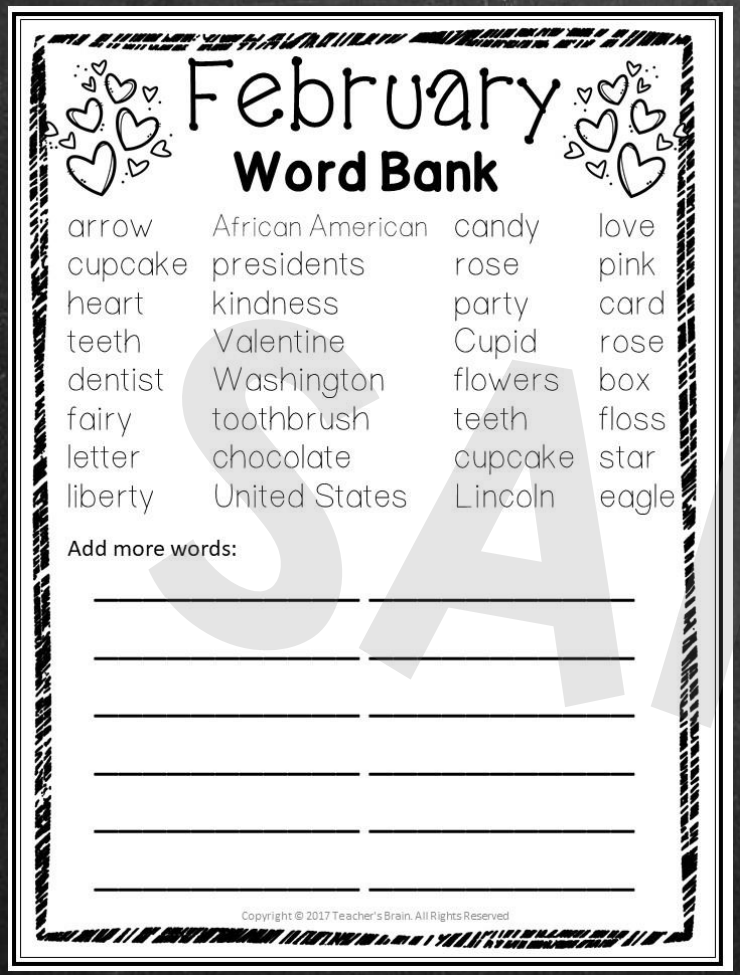


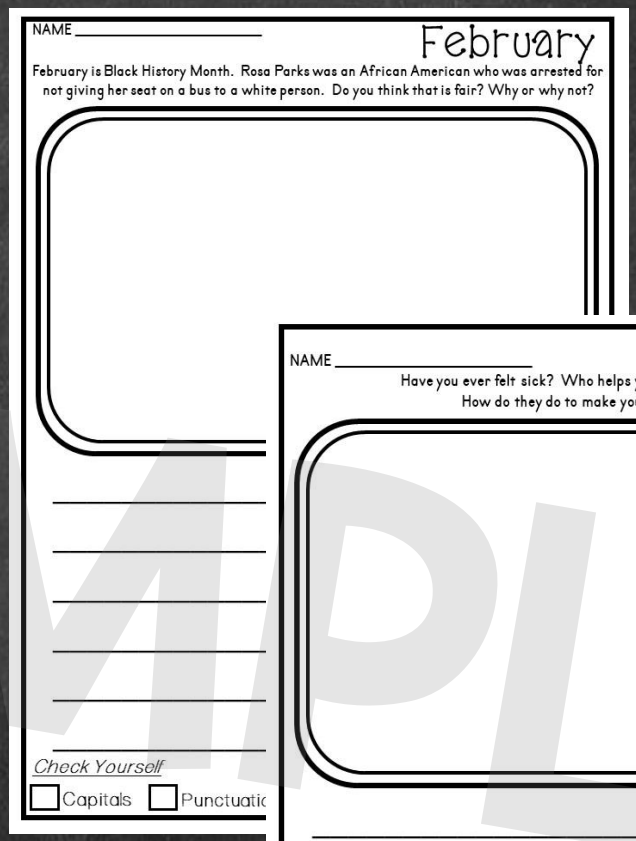
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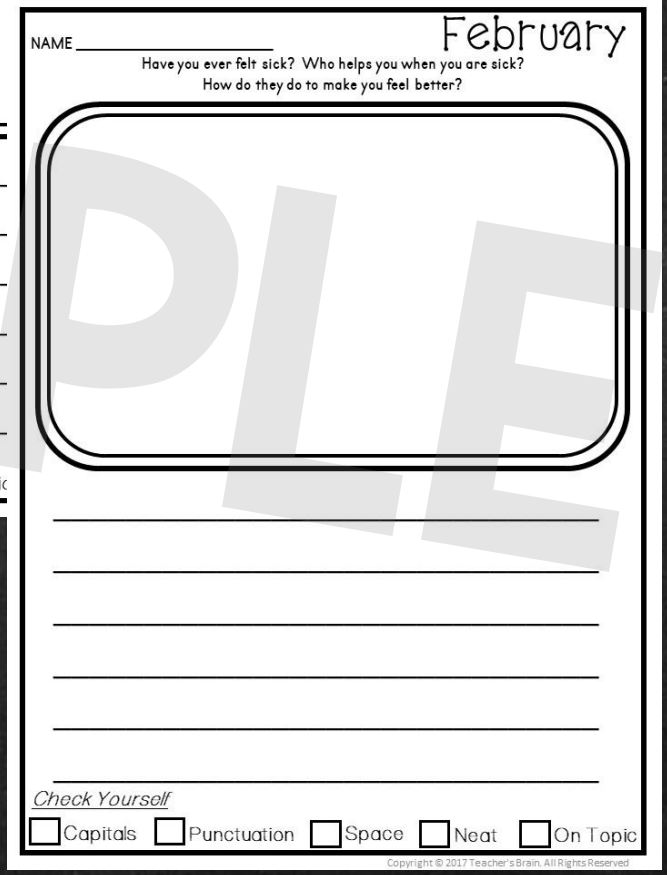
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Word Bank Included

Print and staple! 29 prompts and an extra writing sheet to encourage more writing if needed.

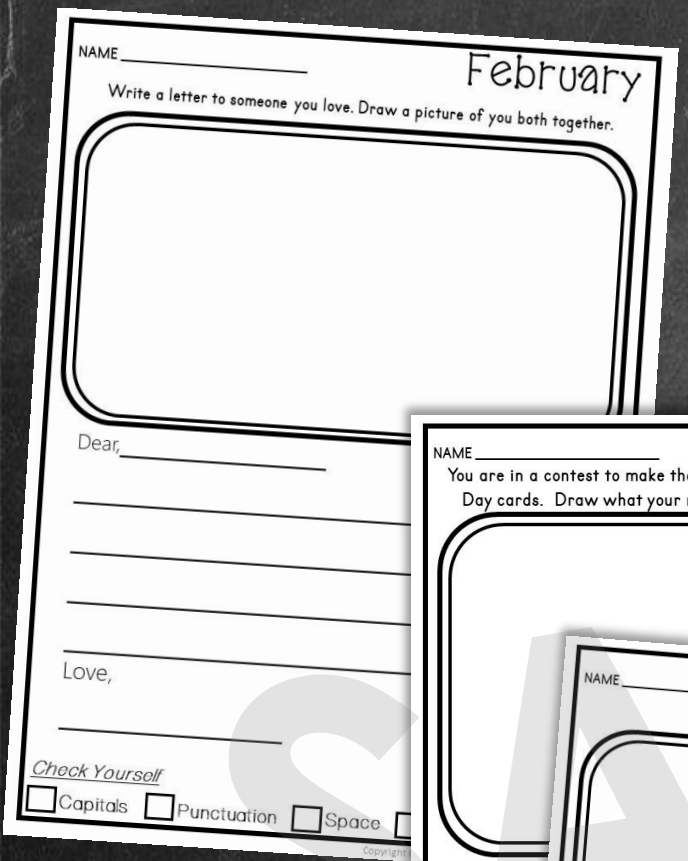


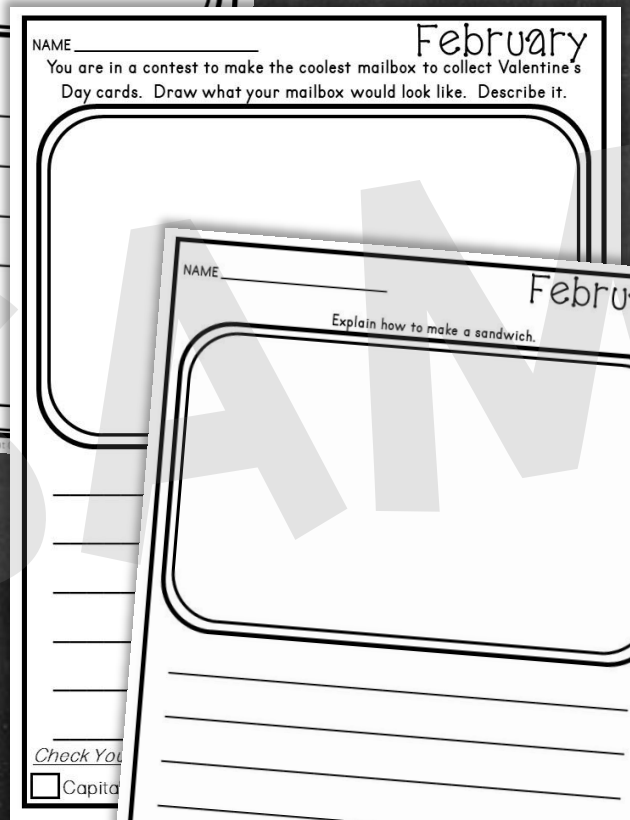




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Rubric Included





Writing Rubric

	3	2	1
Punctuation	Shows they understand when and how to use punctuation	Shows they have some understanding of punctuation	Shows LITTLE understanding of punctuation
Capitalization	Student ALWAYS uses capitalization properly.	SOMETIMES uses capitalization correctly	DID NOT use any capitalization correctly
Spelling & On Topic	Sight Words are spelled correctly, and all sentences are on topic	Spelling is sometimes correct, and most sentences are on topic	Most of the words are spelled incorrectly and the sentences are off topic
Journal Appearance NEATNESS	Handwriting is MOSTLY NEAT and shows their personal best	Handwriting SOMETIMES shows their personal best and is neat	Handwriting is messy and NOT their personal best

Name:_____ Total POINTS_____

Teacher's Comments:

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