

## Westward Expansion: RAFT Writing Planner

You are writing a text about westward expansion in the voice of a character that you have created. To plan your writing, begin by recording your decisions about the role, audience, format, and topic (RAFT) for your text.

<b>Role</b>	<b>Audience</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Topic</b>

Next, think about the questions that you want to address in your writing. Two questions are provided for you. Record two more questions. In the second column, jot down ideas about the answer to each question.

<b>Question:</b> How does my character feel?	
<b>Question:</b> What are the most important points my character wants to mention?	
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