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As you work together to create your play, keep the following in mind:

Script:

- Keep it brief and easy to remember and understand.
- Include emotions. Is it funny, scary, sad, happy?
- Does it make a point? How do you know?

Stage Directions:

- Are they clear and easy to follow?
- Do they help both the audience and the actors understand the plot?

Setting:

- Have you clearly identified where your play takes place?
- Do you need a backdrop or other prop to help the audience understand where the play is happening?

Props:

- Do you need props to help you get your point across to the audience?
- Can you create “imaginary props” that will still be clear for the audience?

Actors/Players:

- Is there a role for everyone in your group who wants to participate?
- How do you determine who plays which role?

Remember that the main idea for your play is to focus on cooperation and helping others to feel good about themselves.

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Complete the following:

What is the title of your play? _____

Name the actors and their roles: _____

Write a short summary of your play: _____

Share your work with the class. Congratulations on becoming playwrights!

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Planning

1. Tell about the text you are creating.

What is the text about?	
Why is this topic important to you?	
Who is your audience?	
What will make your text interesting to your audience?	
What is your purpose?	
What do you want your audience to learn, think, feel, or do?	
What form are you creating?	
Name/Identify one important feature you will include.	

Reflecting

2. List three important skills/strategies you used while you were creating this text.

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

3. How can you use those skills or strategies to keep improving?
