

Persuasive writing: Three-day weekends

Grade 5 Writing Worksheet

Your town is considering making the school week four days long. Write an essay persuading town/city officials why this is or is not a good idea. Include three main reasons and at least one strong counterargument for each one. Be as convincing as possible!

	Linking words help connect your opinion with your reasons. Try to use these linking words in your writing:			
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