

Great for discussions, class polls, centers, and writing prompts!

204 WOULD YOU RATHER



QUESTION CARDS



WOULD YOU RATHER QUESTIONS

These 204 *Would You Rather Questions* are provided in both card and list formats. They are great for practicing critical thinking because they require your students to evaluate two different, but seemingly equally appealing (or unappealing) options and choose one. One way to use *Would you rather...* questions is to ask them whenever you have an extra few minutes. You may also want to use the cards at a center, in pairs, or as writing prompts. You will soon find that they become a favorite activity with you students.

When using the questions with the whole class, it can be valuable to have kids first choose by a show of hands and then discuss the question. Ask students to share why they chose one option or another. Then pose the question a second time to allow students the opportunity to choose a different option. This exercise is not only fun, but it also helps kids become more flexible on their thought patterns. Rather than holding onto an idea no matter what, they learn to consider other's opinions. Add a little action to the game by having students move to one part of the room or another depending on their answer.

You can also use the questions for classroom polls. Simply post a question on the white board and have students indicate their answers with their names (magnets work great for this). You can extend the activity with a discussion or by graphing the results.

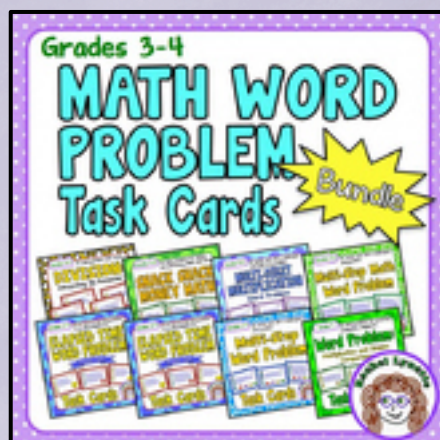
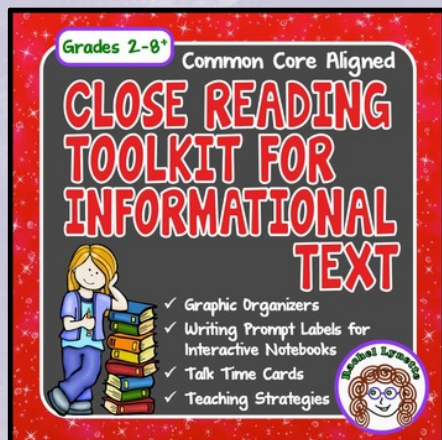
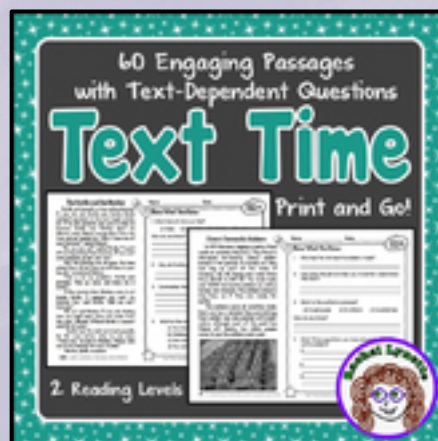
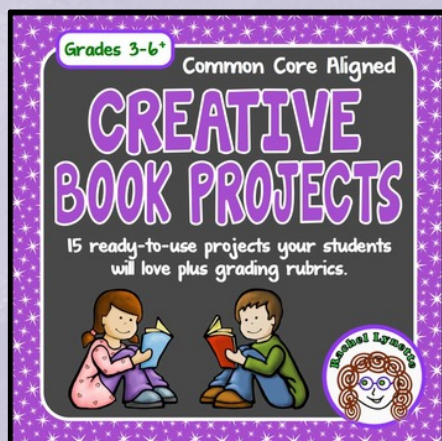
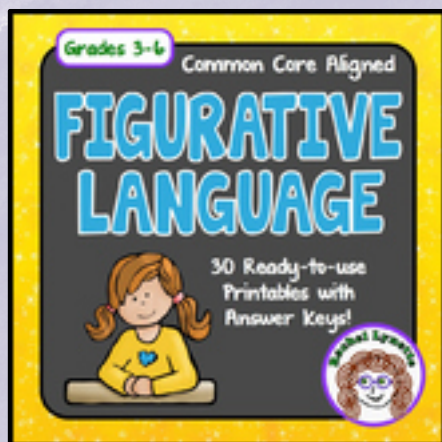
You could extend the activity by having students create their own *Would you rather...* questions. Writing *Would you rather...* questions requires kids to not only create two options, but to also evaluate whether or not those options are roughly equal in appeal. Part of the process is answering the questions, so be sure and give students an opportunity to share their questions with each other.

You can also get two free *Would You Rather* writing response templates here: <http://bit.ly/xegnal>



This resource was created by Rachel Lynette copyright 2014-2016. It may be printed and photocopied by the original purchaser for single classroom and personal use only and may not be put on the internet, sold, or distributed in any form. If you would like to share them with your colleagues, please purchase multiple licenses from the product page on Teachers Pay Teachers.

Thank you so much for purchasing this product! I hope you will be able to use it for many years. You may also want to check out:



TASK CARDS AND MORE TO MAKE LEARNING FUN!



centers, test prep, review games, assessment, fast finishers and more!



WOULD YOU

RATHER...

1

take a one-week trip to the foreign country of your choice

OR

take a four-week trip around your own country?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

2

play on a baseball team that always wins but always has to play in the rain

OR

play on a baseball team that always plays in sunny weather but also always loses?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

3

have to wear shoes that are two sizes too small

OR

have to wear shoes that are five sizes too big?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

4

be banned from all computer use for a year

OR

not be allowed to eat any desserts or sweets for a year.

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

5

be able to control the weather

OR

be able to talk to animals?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

6

live in Narnia

OR

attend school at Hogwarts?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

7

be given \$1,000 right now

OR

be given \$50 a month for the rest of your life?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

8

be a famous actor

OR

discover a cure for cancer?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

9

be incredibly wealthy, but never fall in love or get married

OR

have a happy marriage but be poor?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

10

have many friends, but no close friends

OR

have just one or two close friends.

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

11

have bright blue teeth

OR

have bright blue hair

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

12

lose one arm

OR

lose one leg?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

13

be able to fly

OR

be able to turn invisible?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

14

get to shower everyday but it must be a cold shower

OR

only get to shower once a week, but it can be a hot shower?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

15

not be allowed to eat your five favorite foods for an entire year

OR

be allowed to eat only your five favorite foods for an entire year?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

16

have a very strict teacher, but learn a lot

OR

have a really nice teacher, but not learn very much?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

17

have a friend who is really fun to be with, but not very nice

OR

have a friend who is kind of boring, but also very kind?

WOULD YOU

RATHER...

18

have a job that you hate that pays you millions of dollars

OR

have a job that you love that pays you just enough to get by?

List Format

WOULD YOU RATHER...			
1	take a one week trip to the foreign country of your choice	or	take a four week trip around your own country
2	play on a baseball team that always wins but always has to play in the rain	or	play on a baseball team that always plays in sunny weather, but also always loses.
3	be the best player on a team that always loses	or	be the worst player on a team that always wins
4	be banned from all computer use for a year	or	not be allowed to eat any desserts or sweets for a year
5	be able to control the weather	or	be able to talk to animals
6	live in Narnia	or	attend school at Hogwarts
7	be given \$1,000 right now	or	be given \$50 a month for the rest of your life
8	be a famous actor	or	discover the cure for cancer
9	be incredibly wealthy, but never fall in love or get married.	or	have a happy marriage but be poor
10	have many friends, but no close friends	or	have just one or two close friends
11	have bright blue teeth	or	have bright blue hair
12	lose one arm	or	lose one leg
13	be able to fly	or	be able to turn invisible
14	get to take a shower every day, but you have to take a cold shower	or	only get to shower once a week, but you get to take a hot shower
15	Not be allowed to eat your five favorite foods for an entire year	or	Be allowed to eat only your five favorite foods for an entire year.
16	have a very strict teacher, but learn a lot	or	have a really nice teacher but not learn much
17	have a friend that was really fun to be with but not very nice	or	have a friend who is kind of boring but also very kind
18	have a job that you hate, but that pays you millions of dollars a year	or	have a job that you love that pays you just enough to get by
19	have one eye in the middle of your head like a Cyclops	or	have two noses