

Voice

Voice shows a writer’s personality. It shows feelings and makes one person’s writing sound different from everyone else’s.

Directions Choose a word from the box to describe the voice of each writer.

funny serious friendly

1. Peter had a good idea. He started a business to give people a service they needed. Everyone needs to eat lunch. Many people want to take a lunch to work with them. Peter’s box lunches are an easy way to eat a good lunch at work.

2. Dear Kristin,

You won’t believe what I did! You know how much I love to bake breads and muffins. Making things for people to eat is so much fun! So I started a baking business. I make baked goods for all my neighbors. They keep me busy! I feel so special when people enjoy the delicious things I make.

Your friend,
Tania

3. Who says an eight-year-old can’t run a lemonade stand? Step right up and buy Lulu’s Lemonade. It’s the drink that makes your lips pucker. Sour power! Remember, it’s not lemonade unless it’s Lulu’s.

Directions Write two or three sentences about a business you would like to start. Use a funny, serious, or friendly voice.
