



**TIP 3: REFLECT** - What sets you apart? What makes you different? What's your IT factor?

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**TIP 4: WRITE** - Write your poem inspired by "Where I'm From" using this template:

I am from the \_\_\_\_\_ (description of your childhood house)

and \_\_\_\_\_ (a feeling about your childhood house)

I am from the \_\_\_\_\_ (something living from nature)

The \_\_\_\_\_ (a kind of plant or tree near your childhood house)

I'm from \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (a school tradition and quality)

From \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (names of two schools you've attended)

I'm from \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (two family beliefs)

From \_\_\_\_\_ (a fun family past time)

and \_\_\_\_\_ (an ancestor or a family heirloom)

**TIP 5: USE TECHNOLOGY** - How are you using your smartphone, Google Drive, and more?

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**TIP 6: AND WRITE** - Are you using specific examples? Are you using different story shapes?

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**TIP 7: REVISE** - What can you do to improve your writing?

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**TIP 8: AFFIRM YOURSELF** - Do you believe you are worthy and valued regardless?

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