NaNoWriMo Writing Prompts

You can use websites like writingprompts.tumblr.com or reedsy.com/writing to inspire creativity.

- 1) "The antique shop on the corner holds a mysterious artifact. Write about the day a curious teenager stumbles upon it."
- 2) "A sudden snowstorm traps a group of strangers in a remote cabin. A body is discovered, tensions rise, and unexpected alliances form."
- 3) "In a world where everyone has a unique superpower or magical skill, your protagonist is born without one. Explore their journey to find their place in society."
- 4) "Write about a character who discovers an old, forgotten diary that reveals a family secret."
- 5) "A time-traveling librarian accidentally alters a critical event in history. What are the consequences, and can they fix it?"
- 6) "Explore the life of a guardian spirit tasked with protecting an ancient, enchanted forest."
- 7) "In a post-apocalyptic world, four rival factions vie for control of the last remaining resource. Tell the story from the perspective of a neutral observer."
- 8) "Write about a character who starts receiving mysterious letters from a future version of themselves."
- 9) "A brilliant scientist invents a machine that can communicate with parallel universes. What happens when they make contact?"
- 10) "In a society where emotions are forbidden, a group of rebels seeks to bring back the power of feeling. Follow one of their members as they navigate this world."
- 11) "A classic love story with a twist: the two lovers are from warring fantasy kingdoms, each with a unique set of magical powers."
- 12) "A small coastal town is plagued by unexplainable phenomena. Write about a team of investigators trying to unravel the mystery."
- 13) "Write a story set in a world where dreams are a tangible, tradeable commodity."
- 14) "A cursed item has been passed down through generations, causing misfortune to all who possess it. Explore the item's history and the attempts to break the curse."
- 15) "A reclusive artist discovers a hidden doorway in their studio that leads to a magical realm. What adventures await on the other side?"
- 16) "Tell the tale of a legendary pirate captain who embarks on one final, epic voyage to find a longlost treasure."
- 17) "In a future society, individuals are assigned careers based on their DNA. Write about a character who defies their genetic destiny to pursue their passion."
- 18) "A group of strangers finds themselves trapped in a haunted mansion for a night. Uncover the dark secrets of the house and the connections between its guests."
- 19) "A young inventor creates a machine that can communicate with animals. Describe their adventures and misadventures as they navigate this newfound ability."
- 20) "Write from the perspective of a sentient Ai who becomes self-aware and grapples with its newfound consciousness."