



QUESTIONS

TO THINK AND TALK ABOUT

Video: The Plastic Plight

The Writing Process

(prewriting)



Questions to Think and Talk About After Viewing the Video:

- Define prewriting.
- When prewriting, why is it important to start with topics you personally know about?
- How did the prewriting experience help Nate focus his ideas?
- What kinds of prewriting activities have you used in the past to come up with a topic to write about?
- Why is it important to start with what you know?
- What kinds of experiences have you had which helped you come up with a topic?
- With whom have you engaged in conversation that helped you come up with an idea for writing?
- For whom should you write?
- Why is narrowing your focus so necessary when writing?
- What can prewriting look like?

View the related videos: *Wilderness Waste*, to learn more about the process of writing.

