



## detective's handbook

### **9. Handbook Entry #8**

Create a detective's log that follows your sleuth through the most exciting of his or her 18-24 hours on the case. Use at least 10 events on this timeline.

### **10. Handbook Entry#9**

This is a "how to" paragraph that takes the reader step-by-step through the process by which the sleuth solved the mystery.

### **11. Handbook Entry#10**

This is a persuasive letter to the local Chief of Police convincing him/her who should be arrested and why.

### **12. Handbook Entry #11**

Create a business card for the detective solving this crime. Included the following:

Name

Address

Phone (Be clever, for example, 1-8as-leuth.)

Logo

Motto

Email

### **General Regulations**

◆ Use detective fiction vocabulary words (academic vocabulary on mystery genre handout) to enhance your writing.

◆ All entries into your Detective's Handbook must have been through the writing process. That is: prewrite, write, edit, revise, rewrite. Paragraph and sentence structure, as well as spelling, grammar, mechanics, and punctuation count!