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Stitch's Ohana Adventure: 1st Grade Writing Process Quest

Perfect for a morning writing station where students track a story's journey from a messy 'sloppy copy' to a polished masterpiece for the class library.

1. Lilo wants to write a story about a cool surfing day. What should she do FIRST to get her ideas ready?

- A. Draw a picture and brainstorm ideas
- B. Check for spelling mistakes
- C. Read the story to the whole class
- D. Write the final copy in her best handwriting

2. True or False: When you write your first draft, it is okay to make mistakes.

- A. True
- B. False

3. Stitch is checking his sentences to make sure they start with a capital letter. He is in the _____ stage.

- A. Drafting
- B. Editing
- C. Brainstorming
- D. Publishing

4. Nani looked at her story and decided to add more 'juicy words' to describe a sunset. What part of the writing process is this?

- A. Planning
- B. Drafting
- C. Revising
- D. Publishing

5. When a student finishes their final copy and hangs it on the 'Wall of Fame,' they have reached the _____ stage.

- A. Drawing
- B. Planning
- C. Editing
- D. Publishing

6. True or False: Revising and Editing are the exact same thing.

- A. True
- B. False

7. Which tool is MOST helpful during the Planning stage of writing a story?

- A. A glitter pen for the final copy

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- B. A dictionary for spelling
- C. A graphic organizer or web
- D. A stapler for the book

8. If you are using a red pen to fix a missing period at the end of a sentence, you are _____.

- A. Editing
- B. Planning
- C. Brainstorming
- D. Publishing

9. Why do writers go back and Revise their stories?

- A. To make the story more clear for the reader
- B. To throw the paper away
- C. To pick a brand new topic
- D. To practice their drawing skills

10. True or False: Writers often use a checklist to make sure they finished every step.

- A. True
- B. False