## L.MST

Watch the opening plane crash scene from 'Lost' and write a 1 page descriptive scene from the perspective of one of the characters you see on the beach.

| SETTING: Place: |  |
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| Time of Day: | Season: |
| Evidence of this: | Evidence of this: |
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## Be sure to include:

1) Adjectives and adverbs to build the mood
2) The five senses to build setting and mood
3) The character's thoughts and reactions to build character.


While watehing, pick a character and wateh them closely. He/SHe will be your protagonist. What character are you choosing?

- The man in the forest - Pregnant girl
- Woman giving CPR - Man told to help pregnant girl
- Blond girl getting CPR - Lifeguard
- Old man looking at feet - Girl in sun dress
- Man walking in a daze - Dag in front of propeller -...Someone else
- Trapped man

Five Senses:
What does you character...

| SEE | HEAR | TASTE | FEEL | SMELL |
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## RUBRIC

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| Introduction | Story does not take advantage of any techniques to draw the reader in right away. The excitement begins after the $3-4^{\text {th }}$ sentence. | The beginning straws the reader in within the first 3-4 sentences. | A strong introduction that draws the reader in right away. Could include: <br> - Begin in medias res <br> - Engage one of the 5 senses <br> - Use an eye catching statement <br> - Us strong figurative language. |
| Tone/Mood | Tone and mood seem inconsistent throughout the story. No clear direction is present. | Tone is clear with minor inconsistencies here and there. | There is a clear tone/mood in the story, which is enhanced by the descriptions, writing style and behavior/thoughts of the character. |
| Descriptive/ <br> Figurative <br> Language/ | Story is telling not showing with minimal figurative language. | Some figurative language is present. | Writing engages the 5 senses and uses figurative language: metaphors, similes, etc. consistently throughout the story. |
| Story Structure | Story neglects to set up the characters and conflict. It does not follow any story arc. | Story sets up the characters and conflict early. The story arc is mostly clear with maybe one-two missing parts. | Story sets up the characters and conflict early. It has a clear beginning, rising action, climax, falling action, and conclusion. |
| Grammar and Spelling | Errors distract from the reading of the story. <br> Paragraphs may be missing or dialogue may not be divided when a new speaker joins in. | Some errors in grammar, spelling or punctuation. Errors do not distract from reading the story. | Few or no errors in grammar and spelling. Paragraphs are in place and dialogue (if there is any) is separated properly. |

