**Using the Alphabet for Creative Writing**

**Ideas:**

1. The students can choose their own topic and go through the entire alphabet (not an easy task!) writing verbs or adjectives about the topic.

(Scroll down to see the example.)

2. The students can choose a word or a name and write something for the acronym of that word or name. (See the pictures.)

3. The students can choose a series of letters (the teacher can decide how many) and write verbs or adjectives about a topic they've chosen. (The teacher can suggest a number of topics for the students to choose from.)

See the example here:

Topic: My mother

Letters: C – G (5)

**C**ompetent

**D**evoted

**E**asy-going

**F**riendly

**G**ood-hearted

If this project will be displayed, students could decorate their work.

Teachers are welcome to adapt these ideas and use them in any way that works for their students.

**The A-Z of Friendship**

**A Friend....**

    **A**ccepts you as you are

**B**elieves in you

**C**alls you just to say "HI"

**D**oesn't give up on you

**E**nvisions the whole of you (even the unfinished = parts)

**F**orgives your mistakes

**G**ives unconditionally

**H**elps you

**I**nvites you over

**J**ust wants to "be" with you

**K**eeps you close at heart

**L**oves you for who you are

**M**akes a difference in your life

**N**ever judges

**O**ffers support

**P**icks you up

    **Q**uiets your fears

**R**aises your spirits

**S**ays nice things about you

        **T**ells you the truth when you need to hear it

**U**nderstands you

**V**alues you

**W**alks beside you

**eX**plains things you don't understand

**Y**ells when you won't listen and..

**Z**aps you back to reality