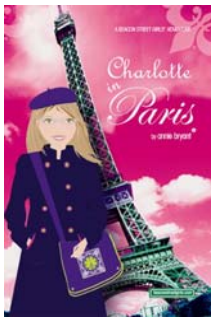
Writing Activity 3: **The Powers of Observation**



"Right now there is a movie playing on the plane, but I've already seen it, so I just have headphones on for some background noise. Mr. Peckham and Madame Giroux are both sound asleep. Madame Giroux has a fancy neck pillow, ear plugs, and even an eye mask to keep the light out. But somehow she just looks really peaceful, not ridiculous, with all of her travel accessories."
***~Charlotte in Paris* p. 45**

Staying in tune to what's going on in the world around us is important for developing listening, analytical, and writing skills ... and it can be so much fun to play detective! Spend 30 minutes in one spot {your house, a friend's house, a park bench, a mall, an airport, the library, etc.}. Write down everything you see, smell, hear, and touch. Did you pick up on anything interesting? What did you learn?

30 Minute Slice of Life

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