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## Noble Peck

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## **Noble Peck**

Noble peck was born on November 26<sup>th</sup> 2003 in a hospital somewhere in San Antonio.

He is the chosen one, he is the one who will save us all!

Just kidding.

Noble peck is a weird, (not) funny 14 year old with an addiction to video games. When he grows up, he wants to be a writer/cast member on the variety show Saturday Night Live. He wants to go to NYU (new york university) or DePaul in Chicago for college. He has 4 cats and 1 Josie (his sister). Bios are hard.... enjoy this beautiful work of art. And a poem!

## **An Open Letter to my Brain**

Dear Mr. Brain

I hope this letter finds you in good health.

This letter was sent to you as a warning to CALM THE HELL DOWN!!!!

I would really like to get a good night's sleep once in my life. I mean Jesus! Stop thinking so loud! It's like having two upstairs neighbors who wear lead covered shoes and stomp around everywhere they go! Just shut up! I would also like you to pass the word on to my stomach. Why the hell is that guy so hungry? And loud too I mean you're louder but, that guy is just annoying. Anyways, im losing track, so this is my letter cordially telling you to SHUT UP!

Also, Stop thinking about that girl. She doesn't like us anyway. As an added bonus if you think about her again I will start hitting you so for the benefit of both of us, shut. The. Hell. up. Brain?

How about we don't think about our ex? Let's think about video games, we like those. Brain, I swear to god I'm going to post an eviction notice and you, Stomach and Heart are going to be outta here (gesture to self) so (look down at body)

QUIT IT! AND YOU!

(pound on chest) please for the love of God, stop making me have a random crush on every girl I've ever been really good friends with. And BRAIN! STOP ENCOURAGING HIM! HE IS GETTING GRADUALLY WORSE AT CHOOSING THESE PEOPLE! ONE OF THEM I'VE BEEN BEST FRIENDS WITH FOR THREE YEARS AND WE KNOW THAT THAT IS NOT GOING TO HAPPEN! AND SHE DOESN'T LIKE ME! SHUT UP!

Sorry I took that out on you brain, you wrinkly annoying little gray blob

in my skull. Actually I am not sorry. You deserve it at this point. BRAIN! STOP THINKING ABOUT HER!

Brain? Please stop thinking about cake. I think stomach is going to eat himself.

--Sincerely, Noble

## **Writing Activity**

1. Personification is when qualities such as thoughts and feelings are applied to animals or objects that are considered to not possess these things. In Noble's letter he has personified his brain and stomach. Have you ever given thoughts and emotions to animals or objects? Which one(s)? Did you have a conversation with them as Noble did with his

brain? What did you talk about? How did your body part(s) respond? How did you feel after having this conversation? Write a poem or short story where you recount a time when you had an imaginary conversation with some part of you.

2. Why do you think we give animals and objects thoughts and feelings? How does it make us feel? What is the benefit of doing this? Write about why you think we personify them.