Sample Prewriting Exercise

Potential Topics Considered by the Author of “Can We Go Out Back?”

more recess
chose desks not boy girl boy girl
allowed to go out back
less homework
no music
kleenex not soft enough
no reading 1/2
no spelling sheets
no boring review sheets
no Canadian-french text books
more activities for French
keep going to Cape Cod
Get a good jungle gym
being allowed to jump off swings
more microworlds time
longer art time
drama class elective
another art class elective