**Argumentative Writing Prompt #1-**

**Societal Expectations**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Block: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Writing Situation:**

In today’s society and cultures, there are separate expectations placed on boys and girls. Think about these expectations as you, as well as others, have experienced them.

**Writing Assignment:**

Write an argumentative essay determining whether these expectations are fair, in a student’s best interest, and logical. Provide views regarding both sides of the issue. Use sufficient reasons and examples to support position(s).

* Keep your writing in 3rd person point-of-view (he, him, her, they, students, etc.)
* Follow the writing process. (Have a good **plan** to have to good **product**.)
* Try not to use contractions.