Writing activity

Instructions: During one or two classes. Graphic organisers, dictionaries and other classroom reference materials may be used (but not Google translate). The work is to be developed independently.

- 1. Choose one of the following writing options: 1 or 2
- 2. Share your ideas about the topic you've chosen.
- 3. Be sure to:
 - a. Organise your ideas using a graphic organiser of your choice (see example).
 - b. Think about your ideas and write them down.
 - c. Read your ideas, make improvements, correct and add to your first copy:
 - i. Check your ideas, word choice, sentence structure, spelling, capitalization, punctuation, etc.
 - d. Clearly write a final copy.

Writing Option 1:

Your class has partnered with a class in <u>another country</u> that has a totally different culture from yours.

You want to explain your favorite <u>pastime</u>, <u>hobby</u> **OR** <u>sport</u> to your new friend in that country (pick one!).

Share what you like and/or dislike about your favorite past time, hobby or sport. Don't forget that this new friend may not know anything about the things you like to do, so add as much detail and information as possible.

Writing Option 2:

Every student in your class has won a free trip, with spending money, to anywhere in the world. Write about where you would like to go.

What are some of the things you need to do to get prepared for the trip? What kinds of things would you like to do when you're there? Are there any things you don't want to see or do?

Organising my ideas.


