Task #11
Drafting

Content Standards:
1. TSWBAT effectively draft a writing piece.

Task:
The students will use their 4 square model to write a draft of their persuasive piece. In their draft, they must have 5 paragraphs: an introduction, conclusion, and 3 body paragraphs. Each body paragraph must pertain to only one reason from the 4-square model (each reason is in one square). The drafts must also include good topic and closing sentences. The most important part of the drafting process is that the students include the details they developed in the 4-square model (located on the bullets in each square). They do not need to focus on grammar, spelling, or other conventions.

Criteria
1. Students have an introduction, conclusion, and 3 body paragraphs.
2. Each body paragraph pertains to only 1 reason from 1 square in the 4-square model.
3. Each paragraph has a good topic and closing sentence.
4. Each body paragraph includes 3 details from each square in the 4-square model.

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<td><strong>Body Paragraphs Pertain to 1 Reason</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Topic/Closing Sentences</strong></td>
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