Directions: For this assignment, you will write a break-up letter, much like the Declaration of Independence was a break-up letter with England. Your letter may be from the perspective of the American colonies to England, OR it can be a break-up letter for any kind of relationship, whether it is a romantic relationship, teacher-student, parent-child, friend-friend, pet-owner, etc. Make it sound authentic and be creative! Please keep your statements school appropriate.

Your break-up letter should follow the format of the Declaration of Independence and include the following elements:

- Preamble
  - Why are you writing this letter?
- Declaration of Natural Rights
  - How is this relationship supposed to be?
  - What rights should you have in the relationship?
- List of Grievances
  - What did the offending party do to warrant you breaking up with them?
- Resolution of Independence
  - What have you done to fix the relationship?
  - How will you declare the break-up?