## **Prompt Sorting: Strong or Weak?**

When you ask an AI (or a person) to write or explain something, it helps to give **context** - extra information that makes your request clear. Context can include the **audience** (who it's for), the **purpose** (why you need it), the **topic** (what it's about), the **format** (how it should look), the **tone** (how it should sound), or any **details or limits** that guide the answer. Prompts with little or no context make it hard to give good answers. Prompts with strong context produce better, clearer results.



**Directions -** Read each prompt carefully. Decide whether it **needs more context** or is already **well-packed with context**. Then **circle** the best choice for each item.

- 1. Write a story.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 2. Write a short story for 3rd graders about a curious cat who gets lost in a library.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 3. Explain how plants grow.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 4. Explain how plants grow for a 4th-grade science class using clear steps and examples.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 5. Make a list of animals.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 6. Make a list of five rainforest animals with one interesting fact about each.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 7. Write a letter.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 8. Write a friendly letter to your future self about what you hope to learn this year.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 9. Tell me about space.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context
- 10. Tell me about the planets in our solar system in a short paragraph for a 5thgrade science report.
- Needs More Context
  Well-Packed with Context

Reflection - What do all the "well-packed" prompts have in common?

