Pretend that you have been shrunk down to the size of a mouse or enlarged to the size of an elephant. Write a story about the advantages and disadvantages of being small or large. Tell about where you sleep, what you eat, and how other people react to your strange appearance. Underline at least 3 simple sentences and 3 compound sentences.

Grading:

Layout: Indent, Strong Margins, Proper paper.

Vocabulary: Avoid repetition of words and pronouns. Use active verbs and colorful nouns. Word Choice: WC

Analysis: Discuss the question content with strong reasoning (appropriate examples and reasons), with the expected outcome a meaningful conclusion(s).

Paragraph/essay Structure: Develop a work with a strong beginning (thesis), middle (reasoning), and end (meaningful conclusion). Transitions (TR) are necessary to unify the work.

Grammar and Spelling: Avoid sentence fragments (SF), Run-on-sentences (ROS), and awkward language (Rephrase: RP). Verb agreement (AG), pronoun-antecedent agreement (AG), verb tense (tense), and person (person) are all included here.

After the essay is graded one point will be deducted for each underlined missing compound or simple sentence.