

## **Student Sample A**

### **Grade 3 Opinion Writing Performance Task: Zoos**

Dear Editor

I realize that there have been problems with bees living near people and I think that I know how to solve this problem.

In my opinion the first thing that people could do is to try to leave them alone. This would stop the bees from getting mad and trying to sting you.

If the bees try to get into your house you could put up a fake bee hive. That would distract the bees and stop them from getting in your house.

The last thing that you could do is to put a back yard bee hive in your back yard (away from your house). This would give them a place to go that is not on your face.

Not being afraid of them, distracting them, and letting them live in a different place. That is how I would solve the problem of bees living near people.

Sincerely,

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