



## NOW YOU TRY: PREMISE WRITING

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Practice turning an idea into a premise. Clip articles from the newspaper that appeal to you and contain the germ of an idea for a mystery novel. Jot down each idea in the left column below. In the right column, transform it into a premise using *suppose* and *what if*.

IDEA FROM THE NEWS

MYSTERY NOVEL PREMISE  
USING *SUPPOSE* AND *WHAT IF*



# NOTES

IDEA FROM THE NEWS	MYSTERY NOVEL PREMISE USING <i>SUPPOSE</i> AND <i>WHAT IF</i>