Journal Entry Assignment

The Boy In The Striped Pajama’s

Throughout the book Bruno has many questions and concerns that he keeps to himself. As the seriousness of these questions grows he needs a place that he can vent and get everything off his chest. Bruno decides that writing and keeping track of his thoughts in a journal is his safest option.

You must write a journal entry from Bruno’s perspective regarding one of the serious topics discussed in the book. Keep in mind his age and how a boy of nine years old might understand what’s happening and the type of language and vocabulary he would use. The entry must follow the guidelines below.

1. Minimum 2 paragraphs.
2. Must be concerning a topic we’ve learned about in the novel such as, his understanding of the camp, his dislike for the Fury, how he misses grandfather and grandmother, his understanding of why Shmuel is on the other side of the fence, what he thinks the Star of David and The Swastika armbands mean, when he first arrived at Out-With and his thoughts on the new house, the dinner with The Fury and Eva, following the conversation he had with father about when they will move back home.
3. Rough draft will be completed first.
4. Make sure you CHECK spelling and grammar!!!! They count towards your grade on this assignment.
5. You will be given special paper to complete your final copy on.
6. Final copy is to be done in cursive (handwriting) and not printing.
7. Due date will be determined based on class time.