Duality Personal BONUS Essay

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The novella *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* suggest that there is an essential duality within each human being. Your task is to compose a personal essay about the duality in your own nature based on the following scenario.

You are expecting your first child and have decided to write a letter to your unborn offspring, one that he or she will receive at the age of sixteen. You know that at this age, your child will be struggling to define him or herself, to determine what values and ideas are most crucial. As a parent, your task is to guide your child and convince him or her to accept that duality is essential to human nature. Your letter will be most effective if you anticipate your child's concerns and support your perspective with evidence from your own personal experience.

<u>Central Idea</u> about duality and identity

Examples and Supporting Details of duality from personal experience

Imagery to depict duality and describe personal experience

<u>Allusions</u> to depict duality and describe personal experience

Figurative Language (metaphor, simile, personification, etc.) to depict duality and describe personal experience