 **The Pursuit of Happiness**

 **Writing Prompt**

 **Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **Period: \_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Directions: Write a three paragraph essay on your take-away from the movie, “Pursuit of Happiness.” What are your impressions? What can you do differently as you approach your life’s work to avoid some of the calamities that fell on Chris Gardner? What were his saving character traits that helped him overcome the many obstacles that were in his path.**