

Write Your Own Autobiography


Student Objectives:

1. Master descriptive writing.
2. Understand the components of descriptive writing such as vivid verbs, concrete nouns, and descriptive adjectives and adverbs.
3. Learn to edit and proofread your own writing.
4. Learn specific writing genres such as a dialogue, short story, friendly letter, fable, and rhyming poetry (ballads and acrostic poems).

Materials Needed:

- A sturdy 3 Ring Binder that holds 30-50 pages
- pencils
- 20-30 page protectors with holes to protect completed pages
- Colored pencils and markers
- A thesaurus

Syllabus:

 complete	Due Date	Lesson #	Assignment
		Lesson 1	My Life As A Timeline
		Lesson 2	Movie Shot
		Lesson 3	Writing The Five Senses (practice page)
		Lesson 4	How To Write A Dialogue Dialogue Writing Activity (practice page)
		Lesson 5	Elements of A Good Story How To Write a Short Story How to Write A Descriptive Paragraph Event 1 Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 6	Event 1 "I've Come A Long Way Baby" Writing Activity
		Lesson 7	My Love Heart
		Lesson 8	Event 2 Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 9	Event 2 Writing Activity
		Lesson 10	Color Me Beautiful
		Lesson 11	Weather Report Writing Activity
		Lesson 12	Event 3 Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 13	Event 3 Writing Activity

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		Lesson 14	My Strengths List Activity My Strengths Writing Activity
		Lesson 15	My Weaknesses List Activity My Weaknesses Writing Activity
		Lesson 16	Event 4 Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 17	Event 4 Writing Activity
		Lesson 18	How To Write A Friendly Letter A Letter To Me Writing Activity
		Lesson 19	Event 5 Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 20	Event 5 Writing Activity
		Lesson 21	Recipe of Me
		Lesson 22	The Animal In Me Picture Activity The Animal In Me Writing Activity
		Lesson 23	How to Write A Fable A Fable Planning Worksheet A Fable Writing Activity
		Lesson 24	Most Wanted - Directions Most Wanted - Me
		Lesson 25	Five Crazy Things I Plan to Do In My Life
		Lesson 26	Most Wanted - Family
		Lesson 27	How To Write A Ballad A Ballad of Me Planning Worksheet
		Lesson 28	A Ballad of Me Writing Activity
		Lesson 29	Most Wanted - Friends
		Lesson 30	How I Plan To Change My World Writing Activity
		Lesson 31	Acrostic Poem
		Lesson 32	“I’m Going A Long Way Baby” or “My Future”
			General Proofreading Checklist