



Narrative Writing

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Story Structure Use this narrative writing guide for your story!
Learn about exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, and resolution.

Climax

This is the turning point! The character faces the conflict. They may go through changes. You might even include their thoughts and feelings.



Rising Action

This is where your conflict develops, and the suspense builds!

Falling Action

This is where you can tie loose ends. The character takes action leading to a solution of the conflict. It's time to conclude the adventure!

Exposition

Build the context for your story. Introduce your characters. What is the setting? Introduce the conflict or problem your character runs into.

Your Story

Resolution

Wrap up your story. The resolution may include a memory, decision, feeling, or wish!



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Narrative Writing Graphic Organizer

Who are the characters and what is your setting? What problem do they face? How do they solve their conflict?



Conflict

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Exposition

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Rising Action



Falling Action

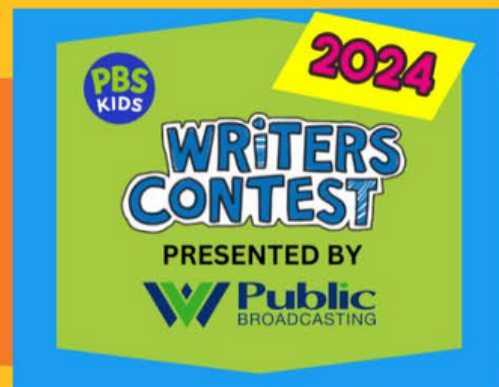
Resolution

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Write This!

Use this graphic organizer
to get started!



A large, empty rectangular box with a blue border, intended for writing a story or drawing.

A rectangular box with a blue border containing five horizontal blue lines for writing. A cartoon dog is positioned at the bottom left corner of the box.



Graphic Organizer

Figure out the details of your story! Who is the character? What did they do? When do they do it? Where is the setting? Why did they do it?



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Who?

Did what?

When?

Where?

Why?



Writing Graphic Organizer

When writing about a topic, use supporting details to strengthen your paragraph.

Topic

Topic Sentence/Main Idea

Supporting Details

1.

2.

3.

Concluding Statement





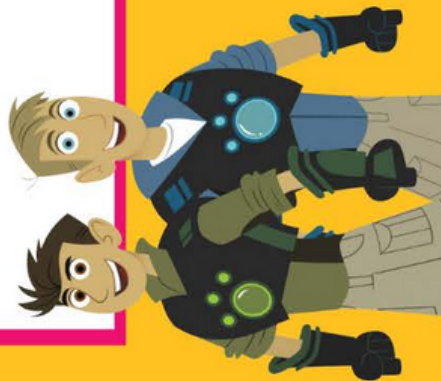
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Details

Elaborations

Body Paragraph





Graphic Organizer

Use this writing graphic organizer to create an introductory paragraph!



Hook

Narrow the Topic

Thesis Statement

Restate Thesis Statement

General Connection to TPA

Clincher/Thought/Feeling