

Narrative Writing Language Arts, Grades 3-5

Assignment Objectives

- Students will be able to write a narrative story including important details and sequencing words.
- Both the Live Help and Review Center features will be utilized for this activity.

Teacher Instructions

- Assign a narrative topic to your students or allow them to pick their own from the list below (or your own list).
- Provide your students with the activity on the second page of this document.
- Have students fill out the table with the help of a Live Help Tutor.
- Instruct students to type their narrative on a word document and submit it to the Review Center.
- When it's been returned, students should apply the feedback received and hand in a final draft.

Ways to use this resource

Use as a writing center or as a homework assignment.

Possible Topics include:

- A fun trip
- A memorable birthday/holiday
- A busy weekend

Character Diary Entry:

Students will write a narrative from the point of view of a story character in the form of a diary entry that portrays thoughts and feelings. The entry should include the following:

- Other characters from the story
- The story's setting
- Important events from the story



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Student Instructions

You will work with a Paper Tutor on Live Help to write a narrative about a topic.

- 1. Brainstorm with a Paper Tutor what the important details are to include in your chosen or assigned narrative topic. Add them to the chart below.
- 2. Type out your narrative. Include an introduction, body paragraph, and conclusion.
- 3. Ensure you include the important details and sequence words.
- 4. Have your Paper Tutor help look over your spelling and grammar.
- 5. Once you've written the pieces of your narrative, put them together in a word document and submit it to the Review Center for feedback.
- 6. Apply the Tutor's feedback and turn in your final draft to your teacher.

Topic:	Introduction:
Details:	
Body Paragraph:	Conclusion: