

| WRITING A NARRATIVE   |   |
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| <b>TITLE</b>  | Trapped!<br>My Last holidays<br>A Scary Day   |
| <b>INTRODUCTION</b><br>Who, when,<br>where, what<br>(without details) | I will always remember the day<br>when...<br>I will never forget the moment<br>when...<br>Something really odd happened to<br>me ....   |
| <b>BEGINNING OF<br/>THE STORY</b>                                     | <b>How it all started</b><br>Someone called our name on the loudspeakers.<br>The hotel was small but luxurious.<br>The red carpet had a suspicious blood stain.<br>It all began when the lights didn't turn on and I was at home alone.   |
| <b>MIDDLE<br/>EVENTS</b>  | <b>Chronological order of events</b>  |
| <b>END OF THE<br/>STORY</b>   | I looked up and saw Naomi. She was laughing too.<br>All those people were impressed...<br>The police arrested the woman....   |
| <b>CONCLUSION</b>   | <b>My present feelings and memories</b><br>I couldn't believe what was happening until I saw a police officer entering<br>the house.<br>It was the best summer ever.<br>Seeing the consequences, I'll never do that again...<br>Thinking about it now makes me still feel nothing has changed |

The use of **collocations, connectors** and **phrasal verbs** is compulsory.

Remember to use proper **tenses**.

Your writing must have a minimum of **100** words.

You will be tested on the following skills:

- 1. Content:** Maturity, arguments, effectiveness, ideas are organised and clear, the message gets through, well-structured, creativity and credibility.
- 2. Grammar:** Free of mistakes, adequate use of verb tenses, variety and complexity of different structures. -0.25 per mistake. Serious mistakes will be heavily penalised.
- 3. Vocabulary:** Collocations, false friends, good use of appropriate vocabulary, good spelling, no repetition of elements. -0.25 per mistake. Serious mistakes will be heavily penalised.
- 4. Text:** Organisation of ideas, use of paragraphs, punctuation. Respect for the directions given. There will be penalty in case the writing is too short.

**Narrative. Here you are a list of topics to write about.**

1. A day when I had an accident
2. A moment I surprised myself
3. The worst ordeal I have undergone
4. The day someone interfered in my life, changing it forever
5. A weird encounter with a stranger
6. A funny story that happened to me last summer
7. A random act of kindness
8. Something unexpected that happened to me
9. A time when I got lost
10. The day I got terrified at home
11. A time when I rebelled
12. One day I got really disappointed with myself
13. The day I met my sweetheart
14. The most irritating / embarrassing / annoying / infuriating experience I have ever had
15. My act of heroism
16. An event that changed my life
17. The hardest decision I have ever had to make
18. The day I missed your bus to school / to work but it was OK
19. A time in which I judged someone but they proved me wrong.
20. The decision that saved my life
21. Something I always said I would never do, but I did it
22. An experience that you feel has only ever happened to you.
23. The lie that changed me
24. An experience that has hard but ended up being worth it
25. When I lost a friend
26. A time that the power went out
27. A time in which I felt grateful I had siblings