

Characteristics of a **Personal Narrative**

Read the cloze reading passage about the characteristics of a personal narrative and drag/drop the word that best completed the sentence.

A Personal Narrative should include a structure with a clear _____, _____, and end.

Narrative story elements such as _____ (who the story is about), _____ (where and when the story takes place), sequence of _____, a conflict, and a _____ (how the conflict is solved).

Using _____ words like first, next, last help to move the story along.

A good personal narrative uses _____ details to give the reader a mental picture of the story.

beginning

transition

descriptive

middle

events

setting

characters

resolution