Think and write

Write a story

1 Think of a story. It can be a true story or a story you imagine. Use the questions to help you.

Writing tip

Write stories in the past tense. Remember to check your verbs!

Who is the story about?	Tom, 12 years old, good swimmer
When?	3 weeks ago, Sunday
What was the weather like?	very sunny, hot
What happened?	swimming, jumped into pool, problem, not a lot of water, hurt his head, hospital, 3 weeks

2 Plan and write notes about your story. Draw pictures.

 Tom – great swimmer.	Sunday, three weeks ago – sunny and very hot. 	Tom jumped into the pool. 
 Not a lot of water.	Tom hurt his head. 	Tom was in hospital for 3 weeks. 

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3 Draw and write a story.



Tom loved swimming. He was very good at it.



One Sunday, it was very hot and Tom wanted to swim. He jumped into the pool, but there was not much water in it.

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