



Task

You see this advert online for a writing competition.

**Tell us about an exciting event
that happened to you last year!**

£200 to the writer of our favourite story
and your story published on our website.
Write about 150 words.

Writing bank

Words and expressions of time

After that,
First,
One day, I was ...
In (2020),
In the end,
Next,
Finally,
The following year,
Last summer,
Suddenly,
Then,
Two months ago,
Two years later,
When (I was 12/the play started),

Make notes to help you plan your story. Think about the sequence of events and try to answer the questions Who?, What?, Where? and When?

Use this paragraph plan in your story.

Title: Think of an interesting story title

Paragraph 1: When and where the story happened and who you were with.

Paragraph 2: What you were doing and what happened first.

Paragraph 3: What happened next and after that.

Paragraph 4: What happened in the end and the results of the event.

Write your story. Use your notes, the paragraph plan, the writing model on the opposite page and the Writing bank to help you.
