

Imaginative Narrative Essay

Prompt: *Imagine that you woke up and found yourself in another land. Tell a story about what happened.*

Instructions: Using the information on your Imaginative Narrative Story Map Graphic Organizer, write your three paragraph narrative (story) below. See the Writer's Checklist and Sample Essay below.

Introduction

Begin with one of the following:

- A sound- (boom, bang, etc)
- Dialogue- (persons talking)
- A detailed exciting action
- A sensory description of your setting.

Introduce your characters and setting in a creative way to keep your reader's attention. Tell about all events leading up to your action/problem.

(4-5 sentences)

Middle Events

Tell more about how the problem started. Write as many interesting details as possible. Stretch out your problem. Make the events exciting for your reader.

(4-5 sentences)

Conclusion

How did the characters feel at the end of the story?

What did the character or characters learn?

(4-5 sentences)

Writer's Checklist

WRITER'S CHECKLIST

As you write remember these points:

- Be sure to write about the topic.
- Give details to explain your ideas.
- Express your ideas in complete sentences.
- Write your ideas in a clear order.
- Use good handwriting.

Look over your work for:

- Capitalization
- Punctuation
- Spelling
- Word Choice

Sample Essay

Super Megan

Boom! “Oh no! Was that thunder?” Megan had been to a birthday party all evening and hadn’t noticed that the weather was starting to get bad. She began walking, hoping she could make it home before the weather got worse. Soon it was dark. The rain was pouring and she began noticing lightening flashes reflecting off of all the tall buildings around her. She was worried. “Uh oh, maybe I should fly instead.” Megan didn’t like to use her super powers all the time, but she decided that flying might help her get home more quickly and safely. She started spinning around and around to transform into Super Megan, and then took off flying into the air.

Super Megan was flying as fast as she could, dodging trees, poles and buildings. Suddenly she heard a big crash nearby. She wondered if she should stop and see what happened or just keep flying to get out of the storm. “What if someone is hurt?” she thought. She turned around and started flying up and down side streets. Finally, she noticed a crowd of people surrounding a car! She flew closer and saw that a light pole had been struck by lightning and had fallen onto a car with a man trapped inside!

“Help!” screamed the man. Super Megan turned on her super strength powers. She tried to lift the pole but it was so slippery from all of the rain still pouring down. She turned around to the others and yelled “Everyone grab on!” Together they lifted the pole and pulled the man from the car.

Super Megan always thought flying and strength were her super powers! But that day she learned that teamwork is a super power too!