Study the Writing box. Choose the phrases and complete.

Writing A short story

Starting your story and setting the scene

My birthday was a fantastic day.

Have you ever had a really difficult day?

1 _____

Introducing your characters

Nick and I got on well ...

2 _____

Using time words and phrases to show order of events

Last week ...

Next ...

Afterwards ...

3 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____

Using direct speech

'I'd explain it if I was free, but I'm quite busy.'

6 _____

Ending your story

All's well that ends well.

I never want to do that again!

7 _____

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