

What Is A Biography?

biography = true story of a person's life

Watch the video and answer the questions HERE.

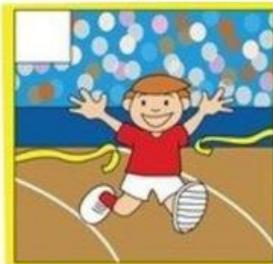
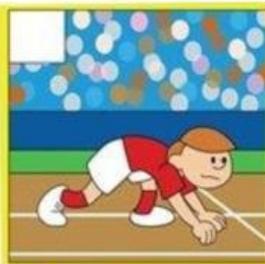
- 1) A biography is true. That means that it is _____.
- 2) A biography tells about _____.
- 3) A biography puts events (what happens) in _____ order.
- 4) The author of a biography is _____.
- 5) A biography begins with the person's _____ and ends with his/her _____.

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Make a timeline of Jackie Robinson's life. Put what he did in chronological order.

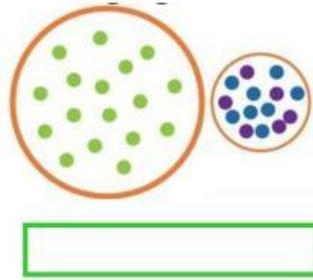
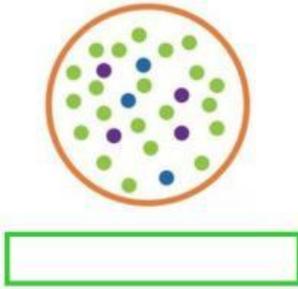
Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date: 1972
Event:	Event:	Event:	Event:	Event: Jackie died.

Chronological = in order by _____. Put the pictures in chronological order.



Put the words with the picture that illustrates them.

segregated not segregated



Finish the biography.

This biography tells about the life of _____. He was born in the year _____ in the state of _____. His first job was in the _____. At that time, the military was _____. That means that black people and white people did not live and work together. _____ people were treated badly.

When he left that job, he got a job being a professional _____. He only played with other black people because baseball was _____, too. He was excellent at this job! Soon the white baseball teams wanted him to play for them. No black person had ever played on a _____ team.

Jackie played with the white Dodgers team for the first time in _____. Many people were angry that a black person was playing for a _____ team. They called him names and threw things at him. Jackie never got angry. He showed them that _____ and whites could work together. He worked hard to be the best. In 1962, he was put in the baseball _____. Jackie became one of the greatest baseball players in history! Because of Jackie, sports teams today have players of all races.

Jackie died in 1972. He was _____ years old.

THINK!

Why was Jackie Robinson important? _____

Why does the author call Jackie Robinson "an American hero?" _____

What type of person was Jackie? He was very brave. Write 3 more adjectives that describe the type of person Jackie was. _____

Would you have liked to meet Jackie? _____ Why? Give 2 reasons for your answer. _____

If you could ask Jackie any question, what question would you ask? _____