

Narrative Writing Prompt Expectations:

Features of a Personal Narrative

- It tells a true story about the writer's own experiences and is entertaining to read.
- It describes the writer's feelings about the experience.
- It is written in the FIRST PERSON, using words such as I, my, our, and we.
- It tells about events in a sequence, often using time-order words.

Features of your hero narrative:

Word Choice:

- Use strong descriptive words.
- Use character traits to describe your hero.
- Use fresh and new words.

Ideas and Content:

- Explain clearly and efficiently why the person is your hero. What makes them your hero, why, how, when, where?
- Thoughts are well organized into three clear paragraphs with a strong beginning and conclusion.

Sentence Fluency:

- Use a variety of sentence starters. Example- do not start each sentence using "My hero..." Think of other creative ways to start your sentences.

Conventions:

- Make sure you check your spelling, grammar, punctuation. Use a dictionary and thesaurus.