

Planning Your Story

Characters

Who are the people or animals in your story? _____

Describe each one (looks, personality, age, relation to other characters).

Character 1 (Your main character)

Character 2

Character 3

Character 4

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Plot – What happened in your story?

Briefly describe in order the events of your story _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Why did this happen? Give some background information that helps us understand why the characters acted as they did.

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Setting

Where does your story take place? Describe in detail the location (city, country, a house, the forest, etc.)

When did your story take place? (In ancient time, in modern time, a few years ago, etc.)

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The Problem

One or two of these questions may fit your story.

What is the problem or conflict in your story? _____

What decision must your main character make? _____

How will your main character handle a difficult situation? _____

How does your main character react to another character's challenge or attack? _____

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The High Point or Climax of the Story

What is the moment of the story when the difficult decision is made?

What is the most exciting part of the story? _____

When does the main character act to change the course of the story?

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The Conclusion

How does your story end?

Explain how all the problems are solved.
