

Narrative Pre Assessment: Beginning of the Year

Think about your first day at a new school or the first time you attempted something new and challenging. What was it like? What did you see? How did you feel? What did you say or do?

Draw out your story on a plot map

Write about it...

Write a narrative about your first day at a new school or the first time you tried something new and challenging. Write your narrative like a story. Include details that help the reader picture what happened and why it was important. Organize your writing with a clear beginning, middle, and end.

Checklist

- Read the prompt (all parts of it) carefully
- Use the plot map to make sure you have a clear beginning, middle, and end of your story
- Describe the setting using adjectives
- Show why the incident is memorable and make sure that your theme is apparent through the entire paper
- Check for grammar, spelling, and punctuation