

WRITE SOURCE

Narrative Writing

LESSON 20

Narrative Paragraph
Prewrite

2



Review

- A personal narrative is a story about something you did.
- Make sure it has clearly expressed:
 1. when
 2. who
 3. what happened



example

Noodles

One day, I had lunch with Grandma. We made noodles. I put some noodles in the soup. Then I ate them. I like cooking with Grandma.

Today we'll learn ...



The Writing Process of a Narrative Paragraph: Prewrite



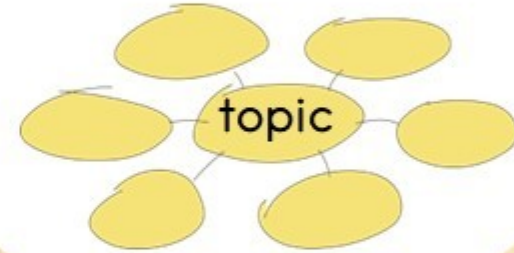
Let's Learn

Generally, we do these two things for prewriting.

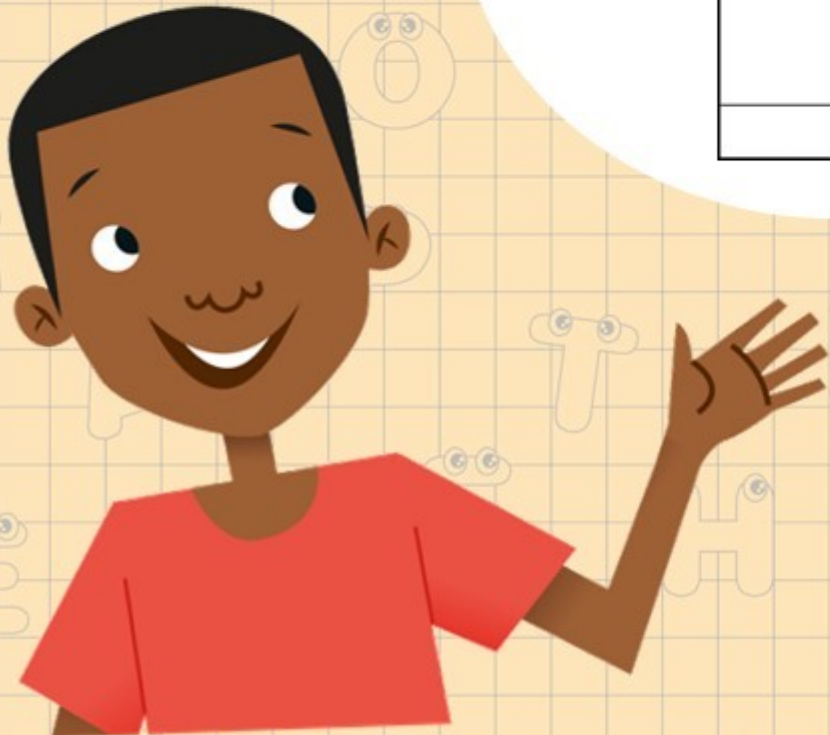
Choose a Topic



Gather Details about the topic



Prewrite



Step 1: Think

Robin thinks about some special times.



One summer ...



One night ...

One day ...



Let's Learn

Just write down
when, who, and what
happened.



Step 2: Finish

Robin finishes the sentence starters to get ideas.



One summer, I went to Texas.



One day, I lost Azul at school.



One night, I saw an owl.

Step 3: Choose

Robin chooses his favorite idea as his topic.



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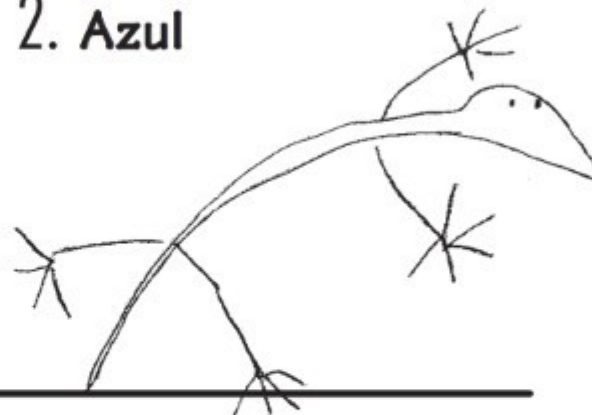


What did
Robin do to
gather details
about his topic?

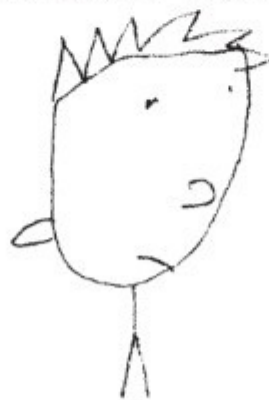
1. my backpack



2. Azul



3. looked and looked



4. on teacher's desk



Let's Learn

Gather Your Ideas

1. Draw

draw a story map

2. Write

write words about
who, what, where

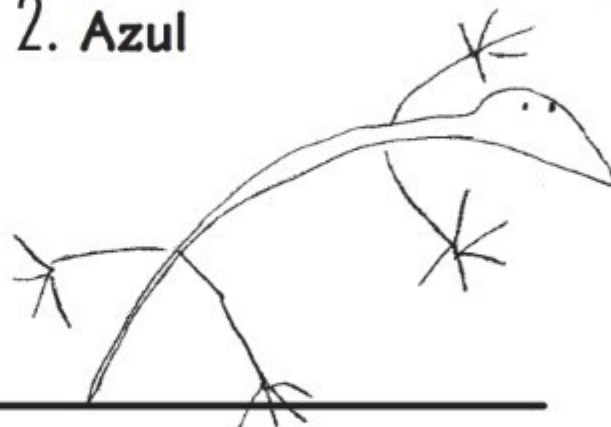
3. Tell

tell the story
using the map

1. my backpack



2. Azul



3. looked and looked



4. on teacher's desk



Let's Do

Finish and choose your topic.

One summer, _____.

One day, _____.

One night, _____.

Gather your ideas.



Take a picture of it
for the next class.

1

2

3

4

Prewrite

Write

Revise

Edit

Publish



Choose your topic.

Think about special times → Finish Sentence Starters → Choose a Topic

Gather your ideas.

Draw A Story Map → Write Keywords → Tell the Story