

ENGLISH

Lesson 4: Writing a biography



VOCABULARY

WsOW (Words of the Week)

desire (v) -to want something more than anything else / (n) –a strong feeling of wanting

host (v) –a person who holds events for others

practice (n) –an activity that is the usual way of doing something

typical (adj) –having qualities specific to a person or thing

variety (adj) –a wide range of different things



LEARN

Today we are going to plan our biography to help us when we write tomorrow.

- Plan 5 following sections to include in your biography;
Introduction, early life, adult life, significant events, legacy
- Think about the information you will include in each section
- Read over your notes and identify in which section the information will go
- Look over the paragraph plan template (pg2)



YOUR TASK

- Create a paragraph plan for each section of your biography

Example

Introduction:

Top sentence: Nowadays we are encouraged to be whatever we want to be

1. it hasn't always been like this
- 2 people have used gender, beliefs and the colour of skin to determine a person's success
3. many brave people have fought against this

Top sentence: One such person paved the way for others Katherine Johnson

Paragraph plan template

The top sentence introduces an idea/topic

Sentences 1,2&3 are three further points on the idea/topic

The closing sentence brings all the information together.

Top sentence: _____

1. _____

2 _____

3. _____

Top sentence: _____