

Lesson 1 Quick Review

Which describes Personal Memoir?

- A. It is a description of another person's life.
- B. It is a make-believe story about your experiences over time.
- C. It is a true story about a few of your experiences within a set amount of time.

A Personal Memoir presents which of the following?

- A. A series of events before you were born.
- B. An event that only you can remember.
- C. A series of events that took place over a period of time.

Answers: C, C

Lesson 2 Quick Review

Why is Engaging the Reader addressed by the Six Trait of Organization?

- A. It grabs the reader's attention in the beginning.
- B. No one knows this answer.
- C. It means you are going to propose something.

Which applies to creating a repeating line?

- A. It is not good to use.
- B. It repeats the same sentence throughout the paragraph.
- C. It helps to engage the reader.

Repeating lines should be used 14 times.

- True
- False

Answers: A, C, False

Lesson 3 Quick Review

Which question would be good to ask yourself when reviewing your Engaging the Reader strategy?

- A. Do I still like it?
- B. Does it change the reader's attitude?
- C. Does it tell the whole story?

Why is creating an outline on the Organization chart?

- A. It separates your documents.
- B. It helps put your thoughts in order.
- C. It provides transitions.

An outline helps organize paragraphs.

- True
- False

Answers: A, B, True

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Lesson 4 Quick Review

Which question is NOT necessary when reviewing your Personal Memoir outline?

- A. Are these the memories I still want to use?
- B. Will it make the reader cry?
- C. Does each memory support the topic?

It is important to consider revising your outline before writing a rough draft.

- True
- False

What is the purpose of an outline?

- A. It show where transitions are needed.
- B. It helps to understand multiple points of view.
- C. It helps put thoughts in a logical order.

Answers: B, True, C

Lesson 5 Quick Review

Which question is NOT necessary when reviewing an outline?

- A. Are there any other details I would like to add?
- B. Is this the best outline I have ever written?
- C. Will each paragraph stay on topic?

Once an outline is written, it is best not to change it.

- True
- False

Using a repeating line can help engage the reader.

- True
- False

Answers: B, False, True

Lesson 6 Quick Review

_____ is the one of the Six Traits that addresses a Reflective Close.

- A. Conclusion
- B. Organization
- C. Idea

_____ is the last part that brings closure to writing.

- A. Calculation
- B. Convention
- C. Conclusion

A Reflective Close requires the narrator to look back at the experience to determine its importance.

- True
- False

Answers: B, C, True

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Lesson 7 Quick Review

Which of the following is NOT part of writing a Personal Memoir?

- A. Engaging the reader
- B. Writing a reflective close
- C. Summarizing articles

Dialogue and description can help develop characters and ideas.

- True
- False

Which of the following describes "dialogue"?

- A. Two logs
- B. Conversation between two people
- C. Something that died

Answers: C, True, C

Lesson 8 Quick Review

Vivid verbs and precise adjectives are better than overused verbs and adjectives.

- True
- False

Vivid verbs and sensory details help create a visual image for readers so they can "see" the story.

- True
- False

You can find vivid verbs in a thesaurus.

- True
- False

Answers: True, True, True

Lesson 9 Quick Review

Language that communicates ideas beyond the ordinary is called figurative language.

- True
- False

A _____ compares two things in common using like or as.

- A. simile
- B. metaphor
- C. none of the above

A metaphor compares two things without using like or as.

- True
- False

Answers: True, A, True

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Lesson 10 Quick Review

Complete the sentences with the terms listed below.

helps the flow of writing from one sentence to the next.

are words or phrases that help tie ideas together.

describe verbs.

Adverbs

Transitions

Sentence Fluency

Answers: Sentence Fluency, Transitions, Adverbs

Lesson 11 Quick Review

Complete the sentences with the terms listed below.

is a true story about yourself.

involves changes in spelling, capitalization, and punctuation.

involves changes in the content.

Editing

Revision

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Answers: Personal Memoir, Editing, Revision

Lesson 12 Quick Review

When is it best to edit your writing?

- A. While writing a first draft
- B. Before revision
- C. After revision

Editing involves fixing mistakes to spelling and punctuation.

- True
- False

An editing checklist can be used during editing.

- True
- False

Answers: C, True, True