



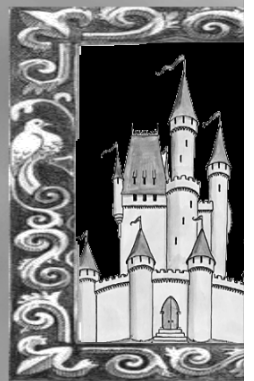
**Objective:
Review the Writing
Process for**

Previously...

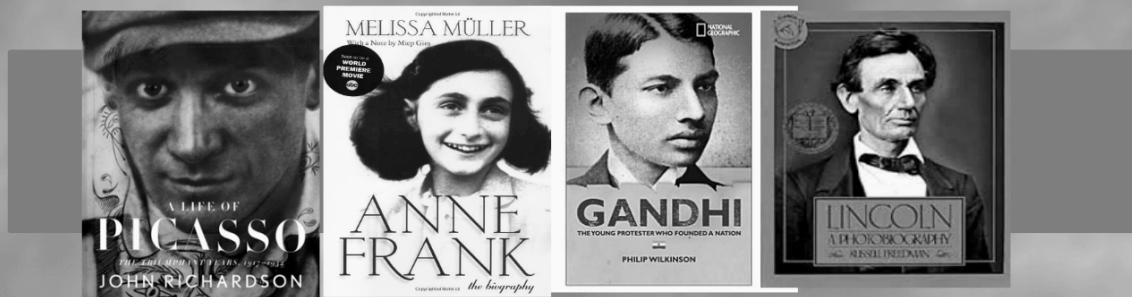
FAIRY TALES and BIOGRAPHIES



What elements make up a fairy tale?
(how does it relate to our Descriptive Essay)



What is a biography?



What are the similarities between fairy tales and biographies?



Fairy Tale Biographies

Have you ever wondered what happened after, “And they lived happily ever after,” or about a fairy tale hero’s life previously? Here’s your chance to create your own version of a fairy tale life.

Pick a famous fairy tale character after researching several stories. Brainstorm with classmates essential facts about their life (difficulties, triumphs, interesting people they met along the way...) from their birth to their death.

Complete the Fairy Tale Biography Graphic Organizer to help you organize your story. Then, creatively, realistically, and effectively write a 500-700 word biography based on your character.

Help a classmate by peer-editing your biographies then complete the “Revision Routine” to make sure you have the best writing possible.

Lastly, create a book jacket for your biography, using the Language book strategies.

For more helpful tips in creating your book cover – Language Book pg. **616** for cover art, pg. **617** for quotation, pg. **618** for summary suggestions.

Due Dates:

- Rough Draft of Biography = Wednesday, Dec. 17
- Final Draft of Biography and Cover = Thursday, Dec. 18

Biography Outline

I. Early Years

A. Birth

1. Where
2. When

B. Family

1. Parents
2. Siblings

C. Where did he/she live?

D. Childhood

1. Activities
2. Interests
3. Friends

E. Schooling

II. Middle Years

A. Marriage

1. Who
2. When
3. Where

B. Kids

C. Job(s)

D. Achievements

E. Influences (why was he/she important during life?)

III. Later Years

A. Retired or continued working?

B. What else they did?

C. Death

1. Date/Circumstances

D. Lesson Learned from Life = THEME



***abbreviated version of Fairy tale story should be included here**

****Details should reflect character and theme**

