

# Narrative

Narrative writing is typically the most comfortable form of writing for most students. Narrative writing tells a story or an experience. A narrative can be a story based on true or realistic events. This is called *nonfiction narrative*. A narrative can also be a story that is imaginative and creative. This is called *fictional narrative*.

The narrative writing prompts in this section are nonfiction narrative. Remind students to incorporate a setting, characters, and plot when necessary. All details should work together in an integrated way to create a complete story with a beginning, middle, and end.



## Narrative

Can you think of something you've seen that is amazing? Why do you think it is amazing? Write a story about it. Help the reader picture this amazing thing. Use lots of adjectives in your writing to describe this amazing thing.



## Expository

Select an animal that you think would make a great pet. Why do you think so? Research and find out what this animal needs to live a healthy and happy life. Write a paragraph explaining the benefits of owning this pet. Explain how to care for this animal.



## Poetry

Write a poem about popcorn popping. What words could you help to convey the sound of popcorn popping? Pop! Bam! Bang! How can you convey the smell of popcorn?

