

Autobiography Homework

Our class will be writing an autobiography (a book about you) for homework this year.

There will be an assignment each month. Each assignment will be due by the last school day of the month. The assignment may be turned in early if it is ready.

We will be practicing many different writing skills at school this year. You should use the skills you have learned at school when writing at home. Your parents may help give you ideas about what to write. Ask them to proofread your work, but you should proofread it first so they can't find any mistakes!

The length of each assignment is up to you and your parents. If writing is hard for you, each chapter may be only a short paragraph. If you enjoy writing, your chapter could be much longer.

Assignments must be hand written by you in your own words. Each page should be 8 1/2" wide and 11" in length.

A homework assignment sheet will be sent home at the beginning of each month with questions to help stir your imagination and help you think of things to write. You may write about anything that relates to the chapter topic.

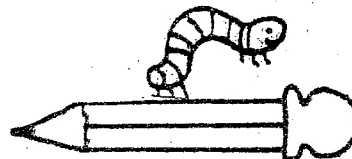
Here is a list of the topics you will be writing about:

September: Title page --- Due the last school day of September

TITLE PAGE

- Write a title for your autobiography.....25 points
- Write the author's name (your name!).....25 points
- Include a photo or drawing.....25 points
- Add a border to decorate the page.....25 points

- October: When you were born
- November: Pre-school years
- December: Family
- January: Holiday memories
- February: Talents and/or hobbies
- March: Favorite things
- April: School years



If you work on your autobiography
just a few minutes each day,
by the end of the month you will have
a neat, well written chapter
that you can be proud of!