

Autobiography Assignment

Name _____ Class _____

Due Date _____

Autobiography Checklist

*The first 10 are mandatory. Choose five additional categories from the list.

- _____ Timeline of your life*
- _____ An area important to you*
- _____ Earliest memory*
- _____ Favorites, in general*
- _____ Friends and family*
- _____ Books you have read*
- _____ Story from school*
- _____ Plans for your life*
- _____ Skills and talents*
- _____ Description and drawing of self*
- _____ Little known or unique fact
- _____ Family tree/history
- _____ Something/someone of which you are proud
- _____ Crushes/broken hearts
- _____ Interesting facts and thoughts
- _____ Most embarrassing moment(s)
- _____ History of injuries
- _____ Adventures and/or journeys
- _____ Horrible things that have happened
- _____ Pets
- _____ Favorite styles
- _____ Facts people should know
- _____ Highlights of your life
- _____ Family stories
- _____ Religion, spirituality
- _____ Wishes/dreams
- _____ Looks
- _____ Heritage/ethnicity
- _____ Schools you went to
- _____ Births and deaths
- _____ Greatest achievements
- _____ Craziest things you've done
- _____ Belwin/nature experience
- _____ Relationship poem for two
- _____ Other: _____

Check off each as you complete it.

Genre List

We are looking for variety in your autobiographies. Below is a list of various genres; the first six will be required in your autobiography. You may choose anything else from the list for the rest. No genre may be used more than two times.

- _____ *Personal letter
- _____ *Newspaper article
- _____ *Interview
- _____ *Essay
- _____ *Map
- _____ *Narrative
(science fiction, fantasy, myth/legend, mystery, etc.)
- _____ Poem/song
- _____ Bibliography
- _____ Dictionary definition
- _____ Editorial
- _____ Historical article
- _____ Journal article
- _____ Lecture
- _____ Literature review
- _____ Technical report
- _____ Advertisement
- _____ Almanac
- _____ Animation/drawings
- _____ Book cover
- _____ Cartoon
- _____ Diary entries
- _____ Encyclopedia
- _____ Guidebook page
- _____ Humor
- _____ Outline
- _____ Portrait
- _____ Program
- _____ Recipe
- _____ Scrapbook page
- _____ Soundtrack
- _____ Play/dialogue
- _____ Graphic organizer
(web, t-chart, Venn diagram, etc.)

Fill in the title of the entry for each genre you use.