

Write Like a Storyteller

Write a Story

Have you heard stories about when you were younger? Tell one of your stories about growing up. Write the story for a friend.

Big Bike Time

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It was time for me to ride a big bike.

beginning **First**, I sat on the seat. Dad held the bike.

middle **Next**, I started to pedal. Dad held the bike.

end **Last**, I rode away. Dad watched me go!

A story has
a title and
an author.



Language Frames

- First, I ____ .
- Next, I ____ .
- Last, I ____ .

1 Plan and Write

Talk with a partner about stories you heard from your family. Pick one story. Tell your partner what happened first, next, and last.

Write your ideas. Then write the beginning, middle, and end of the story.

2 Check Your Work

Revise and edit your writing. Use this checklist.

Checklist

- ☒ Can you repeat a word to make your story more fun to read?
- ☒ Check your sentences. Did you use a capital letter for the pronoun I?
- ☒ Read your story aloud. Check for words that sound alike. Correct spelling errors.

3 Finish and Share

Finish your story. Write each sentence neatly. Leave spaces between words.

Read your story. Be a good listener.

I learned how to play soccer from my dad.

