

Language Arts Lesson 5

Writing Applications (7th - 8th Grades)



Practice Exercise 5-1

Directions: Complete the problems below. Consult the Answer Key below for answers once you finish. Review the Instruction material which relates to any questions you do not get correct.

Answer the following questions:

1. **An introduction in a narrative should do all of the following EXCEPT:** _____
 - a. provide necessary background information
 - b. define the subject in more detail
 - c. provide a synopsis of the article
 - d. build interest

2. **All of the following are elements of an expository essay EXCEPT:** _____
 - a. summary
 - b. supporting Information
 - c. introduction
 - d. plot

3. **All of the following use the narrative style of writing EXCEPT:** _____
 - a. editorials
 - b. historical accounts
 - c. biographies
 - d. autobiographies

4. **An autobiographical narrative:** _____
 - a. allows the author to describe something he or she remembers
 - b. tells the story of an experience that took place in the author's life
 - c. is a biography written by someone else
 - d. none of the above

5. **The concluding paragraph in an autobiographical narrative:** _____
 - a. includes the final outcome
 - b. states the meaning of the experience
 - c. shows how the experience changed the author
 - d. all of the above

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Answer Key

1. c

2. d

3. a

4. b

5. d