

Guided Writing Example Template

The story **(title)** written by **(author)** is about **(main characters)** in **(setting)** . First, **(main events: beginning)** . Next, **(main events: middle)** . Then, **(main events: middle)** . Finally, **(main events: ending.)** The problem was **(problem/conflict/issue)** . The solution was **(how was the problem solved?)** . The message/lesson I learned from the story is **(the lesson/message/moral/theme)** . My favorite part of the story was **(favorite phrase/picture/action/etc)** .

Wh-Question Summary

***Use CHAT's Wh-Poster resource for reference!**

Question	Answer Ideas	Cloze Sentence/ Maximum Support
Who is the story about? (Characters)		The story was about _____.
Where does this story take place? (Setting)		This story takes place in/at _____.
When does this story take place? (Setting)		This story takes place in/during _____.
What happened first? (Action, plot)		The first thing that happened was _____ *Use sequencing words, identify the problem
What happened next? (Action, plot)		The next thing that happened was _____ *Use sequencing words, identify the problem or solution.
What happened last? (Action, plot)		The last thing that happened was _____ * Use sequencing words, identify solution.
Why did it happen? (Analysis)		_____ happened because/so _____.
How did the characters feel? (Perspective)		_____ felt _____ because _____ *Feeling words and facial expressions for hints!