

Autobiography Requirements

Autobiography title and author; create a title for you essay, *center, bold and underline* the title. Underneath the title, put "By and your first and last name" and *center it* on the line.

1. **Paragraph 1;** will consist of the information from #'s 1 through #5 of your homework assignment sheet. It should be at least 5 sentences. Be creative with your sentence starter. (Example: It was on a bright day of midwinter, in New York. The little girl who eventually became me, was born on ...)
2. **Paragraph 2;** create a *bulleted list* made up of the names of your parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles. Create a *title* for the list and **center it** on the line. After the list, write a paragraph (at least 4 sentences) about that special memory you have of one of them, (#6 & #7 on homework sheet).
3. **Paragraph 3;** create a *bulleted list* made up of the names, ages, grades in school of your brothers and sisters. Create a *title* for the list and **center it** on the line. After the list, write a paragraph (at least 4 sentences) about something memorable that happened with them, (#8 & #9 on homework sheet).
4. **Paragraph 4;** create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about a special holiday that you celebrate with your family and a special memory about that holiday. It should be at least 5 sentences, (#10 on homework sheet).
5. **Paragraph 5;** use some of the facts you gathered from your Internet research and create a *bulleted list* of them. Use at least ten facts. Create a *title* for the list and **center it** on the line. Make sure you use the background information to introduce the list, and then create your list. This should be at least 5 sentences.
6. **Paragraph 6;** create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about a family vacation. Where did you go? Who came along? What did you do and see? It should be at least 5 sentences. (#13 on homework sheet)
7. **Paragraph 7;** create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about your best friend. What is your favorite thing to do with your friend? It should be at least 5 sentences. (#11 on homework sheet).
8. **Paragraph 8;** create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about the sport you play. Do you play on a team, what position do you play? What do you like most about this sport? If you do not play a sport, talk about a hobby you have. It should be at least 5 sentences. (#12 on homework sheet).

9. **Paragraph 9**; create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about the school or schools you attended before you came to Monhagen, your favorite teacher, who is/was it and why he/she is/was your favorite. You also want to describe your first day of 6th grade. It should be at least 5 sentences. (#15, #16 & #17 on homework sheet).
10. **Paragraph 10**; create a *title* for the paragraph and **center it** on the line, then write a paragraph about who it is that you look up to the most and why. It should be at least 5 sentences. (#14 on homework sheet).
11. **Essay criteria**
 - Each paragraph should consist of at least 5 sentences and should be indented and double-spaced.
 - All bulleted lists should be single-spaced.
 - All paragraphs should use proper grammar, punctuation, spelling and written in complete sentences where appropriate (bulleted lists are not written in sentence form, they are lists of information)
 - Font size should be 12. Change the font style to one of your choosing, use at least two different font styles.
 - Font color should be black except for your paragraph titles and your bulleted lists (you may choose any colors you wish, and you **must** change the color)
 - Make sure to **SPELL CHECK** your work.
12. **Clip art or photos**
 - You are to insert at least **three** pieces of clip art or pictures from the Internet and arrange them in their proper place.
 - If you use pictures from the Internet, you must document the website you got them from at the bottom of your essay.