

# English

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2021

Objective: To write a biography.

## Success Criteria

1. I can write the rest of my paragraphs.
2. I can use my best cursive handwriting.
3. I can include all the features of biographies.

# Starter: handwriting

- Practise writing these words that you could use in your biography slowly and in your best joined up cursive handwriting.

knew

famous

inspirational

celebrity

during

eventually

# Here is a checklist for writing your biography.

Look at the targets and write the numbers out in your book so that you can tick each one off when you include it.

	Target to include in my writing:	Have I included it?
1	I can write in chronological (time) order and use time conjunctions and dates.	
2	I can use paragraphs and indent at the start of each one. A new paragraph for a different part of their life.	
3	I can include quotations from the person and from other people about the person.	
4	I can write in the past tense. (was, lived, went, did)	

	Target to include in my writing:	Have I included it?
5	I can write in the third person (he, she, they)	
6	I can write a conclusion.	
7	I can summarise their biggest achievements in the conclusions. I can include the impact they have had on me or the world.	
8	I can include some relative clauses. Remember the relative pronouns <b>which, who or that</b> .	
9	I can include fronted adverbials with commas.	
10	I can use my best cursive handwriting.	

# Your task

Write the rest of your biography, following on from the introduction that you wrote yesterday.

Use the checklist on the previous slides.

## 1 star

Your focus is writing short, simple sentences.  
Remember every one must start with a capital letter and end with a full stop.  
You could type your biography if you find this easier.

## 2 star

Aim to include **most** of the targets from the checklist.  
  
Look on the next slide and try to insert a quotation correctly.

## 3 star

Aim to include **all** of the targets from the checklist.  
  
Make sure you punctuate quotations correctly. The next slide will remind you of this.

A quotation (quote) is something that somebody has said.

We use speech punctuation to show this.

We need to remember when inserting a quotation:

- 1. Put speech marks around the words that were spoken.**
- 2. Punctuate the quotation before closing speech marks.**
- 3. Start a new line to insert a quotation.**

E.g. Michelle famously once said, “Don’t be afraid. Be focused. Be determined. Be hopeful. Empower yourself.”