

## Autobiographical Incident Worksheet

### Instructions:

This worksheet is a draft to help you organize your thoughts and details before writing your final autobiographical incident (personal narrative). You will use this draft to develop your final project. Remember, you have been brainstorming ideas and using techniques learned in previous lessons, so draw upon those insights here.

Your essay should have a title, an introduction, a body with three main action details, and a conclusion.

### Essay Draft

#### Paragraph 1: Introduction

Background Information: Introduce the personal experience by setting the scene and providing context.

- Where and when did the experience occur?
- Who was involved?
- Why is this experience significant to you?

#### Draft the Paragraph:

#### Paragraph 2: Beginning of the Experience

**Describe the Start: Detail the beginning of your personal experience.**

- What was happening at the start?
- What were you doing?
- How did you feel?

#### Draft the paragraph:

### **Paragraph 3: Middle of the Experience**

Describe the Main Events: Explain the key actions and events that took place in the middle of your experience.

- What were the main activities or incidents?
- How did the situation develop?
- What emotions were you experiencing?

**Draft the paragraph:**

### **Paragraph 4: End of the Experience**

Describe the Conclusion: Detail how the personal experience concluded.

- What happened at the end?
- How did you and others react?
- What was the outcome?

**Draft the paragraph:**

## **Paragraph 5: Conclusion**

Reflect on the Experience: Explain why this personal experience is important to you.

- What did you learn from it?
- How has it affected you?
- Why is it a significant memory?

### **Draft the paragraph:**

### **Remember to:**

- Review Your Paragraph Drafts: Ensure each paragraph flows smoothly into the next.
- Check Grammar and Punctuation: Make sure your writing is error-free.
- Be Descriptive: Use vivid details to bring your story to life for the reader

### **Submission:**

- Once this worksheet is submitted, it is for grading.
- Save your final essay as a .doc, .docx, or .pdf file.
- You will use this draft to help you write your final unit project.