Rationale:

This resource contains printables for writers to practice creating events in their writing, including:

1. Beginning, Middle, End
2. Main Events
3. Main Events and Details
4. Event Details One
5. Event Details Two
6. Event Details Three
7. Event Details Four
8. Sequence of Events
9. Order of Events One
10. Order of Events Two
11. Order of Events Three
12. Order of Events Four
13. Events and the 5 W's
14. Illustrating Events
15. Events and Characters
16. Events: Satisfying Conclusion One
17. Events: Satisfying Conclusion Two

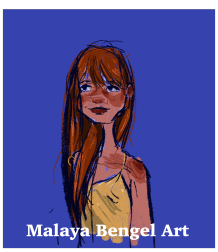
These pages are great for big kids to practice creating events in their writing work.

The printable pages in this resource can be used in several ways, including:

- As daily morning work to review writing work skills
- During guided writing small groups
- During independent writing time or centers
- To work with partners and small groups
- As an assessment for teachers to monitor students' writing abilities
- As homework review sheets
- As a quick and fun 10 minute time filler.
- As 'when you're finished' additional work for students
- To use with substitute teachers

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"Main Events"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers consider all the main events they want to include in their writing. Describe your writing piece below. Then create a list of main events for your writing. Circle two main events and write more about them.

My Writing Piece:



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Main Events:

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Challenge: On the back of this page, describe why you ch

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"Main Events and Details"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers include details that support the main events of their writing. Describe four of the main events for your writing below. Then create a list of details for each of your main events.

Event	Details
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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write more about on the back of this page. Be sure to include strong

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"Event Details Two"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers know that readers are looking for details about each event. Readers like to be entertained and to learn new things. For each of the events below, create a list of details you might include for readers.

Family Cookout

_____

_____

_____

_____

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_____



Graduation

_____

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Football Game

_____

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Music Concert

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Challenge: Choose one of the events above and write a short text about it on the back of this page. Include the details you wrote above.

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Details

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Details

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Details

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"Sequence of Events"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers think carefully about the order in which they describe events so that readers can easily understand their message. Describe the events from your writing in the order they will occur.

My Writing: _____

1 _____



2 _____

3 _____

5 _____

Challenge: Write a rough draft with these events on the back

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"Illustrating Events"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers often add illustrations to their writing so that readers can better understand the order of events. Create illustrations for the beginning, middle, and end of your writing topic.

My Writing: _____

Beginning:

Middle:

End:



for each of the illustrations above.

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"Events and Characters"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers describe how characters react as events unfold throughout a writing piece. Describe events from the beginning, middle, and end of your writing work. Then describe how some of the main characters respond to those events.

Beginning:	Response from Characters:



Middle:	Response from Characters:

End:	Response from Characters:



Challenge: On the back of this page, describe how the characters could have responded differently to the events.

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CHALLENGE ACTIVITIES

GOOGLE™ LINKS FOR STUDENTS

Click each link to assign work to students each day!

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Main Events and Details	Event Details
Sequence of Events	Order of Events
Events and the 5 W's	Illustrating Events
Events and Characters	Events: Satisfying Conclusion

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"Beginning, Middle, End"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers brainstorm ideas for what might happen at the beginning, middle, and end of a writing piece. Name your writing topic. Then create a list of things that might happen at the beginning, middle, and end.

My Writing: _____

Beginning:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____



Middle:

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- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

End:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____



Challenge: Circle one idea from each of the sections. Write more about each idea on the back of this page.

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"Order of Events One"

Name: _____ Date: _____

What To Do:

Writers know that it is important to tell what happens in a text in a way that is easy for readers to understand. Put the following events in an order you think would be the easiest for readers to understand. Then write a short text with these events.

- Scraping a knee
- Buying a bike and helmet
- Watching older kids ride bikes
- Practicing with training wheels
- Riding without training wheels
- Riding bikes with friends

1
2
3
4
5
6

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Challenge: On the back of this page, describe why you chose to put the events in that order. Also, list the reasons why it is important to think carefully about the order of events.

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