

MY NEIGHBOURHOOD

"We were writing stories. We used pens,
we stuck pictures about what happened
and then we described what happened."



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You will need

- A pen or pencil

Lots of strange and interesting things happen
in the places where we live. Use your imagination
to write a short story set in your neighbourhood.

1

Who is in your story?

Include yourself and at least one other person
you know.

Find out some things about the other person
so that you can put these things in your story.

2

Where does your story happen?

Describe this place...

Circle one of the below, or choose somewhere
in your neighbourhood.



3

When does your story happen?

Describe what this place is like at this time...

Circle one of the below.

A long
time
ago

100 years
in the
future

On a hot
summer
day

On a cold
and windy
night

Around
this time
last year

After
school

On the
weekend

4

What happens?

Use your imagination to think about what happens
to these people, in this place, at this time...

Circle one of the below.

Something
weird
happens

Something
scary
happens

Something
unexplainable
happens

Something
you don't
usually see
here
happens

You meet
somebody
interesting

You find
something
mysterious

Somebody
loses
something

Use the above suggestions to write a short story - include as much detail as you can about who, what, where and when. Your story can be funny or silly. You don't need to use perfect grammar or spelling. Use a photocopier to print and share your story. You might also like to draw what happens in your story.

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