

Notable Rough Draft Checklist

Use this checklist to help you write your rough draft. You may mark off the "I say yes" column as you go. Do NOT fill in the "my partner says yes" or "my teacher says yes" column until your teacher instructs you to do so.

Where?	Have I included...	<i>I say yes</i>	<i>my partner says yes</i>	<i>my teacher says yes</i>
Lead	an attention-grabbing lead?			
Paragraph after my lead	birth - where and when?			
	family - parents, siblings?			
	(if possible) what I was like as a child?			
	education?			
Body paragraphs	what life was like when I was alive?			
	important people or events that influenced me?			
	early career?			
	middle career/life?			
	marriage and kids?			
	later years?			

Conclusion	why I was notable?			
(in order of when they happened)	Timeline event 1			
	Timeline event 2			
	Timeline event 3			
	Timeline event 4			
	Timeline event 5			
	Timeline event 6			
	Timeline event 7			