

Cornell Motes

## Narrative Writing Techniques

## Today's Standard

9-10.W.3a - Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.

Cues	Notes
What is narrative writing?	Narrative writing involves telling a story with a clear structure: beginning, middle, and end.
How do you engage a reader?	
What are points of view?	Engaging a reader involves setting out a problem, situation, or observation that grabs their interest.
How to introduce characters?	Points of view refer to the perspective from which the story is told (e.g., first person, third person).
What is a smooth progression of events?	Introducing characters involves providing details that make them interesting and relatable.
	A smooth progression of events means that the story flows logically from one event to the next.

## Summary

Narrative writing is about telling a story that engages the reader by introducing a problem or situation, establishing points of view, and creating a logical flow of events. Mastery of this skill is essential for more advanced writing.