

## Writing Activity 6

Write a Biography.

Use the plan you have written with your facts on to write a biography about the person you have chosen.

Text Type:	<b>Biography</b>	UKS2
Purpose:	To tell the life story of a famous or important person.	
Text Features:	Written in the past or present tense: <b>(was, did, had or is, does, has)</b> . Written in the third person: <b>(he, she, they)</b> Setting, early life, why they are important, conclusion.	
Openers:	<b>To signal time and sequence:</b> <i>He was born in..., He grew up with..., It was a time when..., At first..., After this..., Eventually..., Later in life..., He became...</i> <b>Opinion:</b> <i>He is regarded by many to be..., It could be argued, Some believe...</i> <b>Contrast and comparison:</b> <i>However..., Despite this..., Also..., This may seem...,</i> <b>Conclusion and summary:</b> <i>It is thanks to..., The fact that..., Even today...</i>	
Vocabulary:	<i>influential, significant, talented, gifted, famous, infamous, popular, respected, pioneered, invented, discovered, ambitious, determined, unique, remembered</i>	

Remember to include the features from the box above. Concentrate on cohesion – does your writing flow?

You should be writing in the third person, using time adverbial openers, thinking about comparing and contrasting and using appropriate vocabulary.

