

Option 1: Memoir

- A memoir is a memory that usually contains a lesson or provides insight into a particular social issue or time period.
- Write a memoir about an event in your past that is interesting or provides the reader with a life lesson.
- **2 pages minimum, MLA or APA format**

Option 2: Familiar Essay

- A familiar essay is marked by exaggeration in various parts of a real memory. Parts that are exaggerated are the dialogue, action, sequence, ect.
- Use a memory that you can easily exaggerate and retell it using elements we discussed in class and that you saw in your readings
- The point of a familiar essay is not to teach but to entertain the reader! So make it good!
- **2 pages minimum, MLA or APA format**