



**PLANIT**  
TEACHERS

## Introduction to Creative Writing: An Encounter of a Special Kind

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**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Introduction

Welcome to this engaging homework assignment, where you will embark on a creative journey, exploring the realm of imaginative writing. The topic, "An Encounter of a Special Kind," is designed to spark curiosity and inspire you to craft compelling narratives.

## Understanding the Assignment

- Read and understand the prompt: What does "An Encounter of a Special Kind" mean to you?
- Brainstorm ideas: Think about characters, settings, plot twists, and how you can make your encounter special.
- Choose your approach: Select the idea that excites you the most and decide on the tone of your story.

### Activity 1: Creative Writing

Write a short story (approximately 250-300 words) that describes "An Encounter of a Special Kind."

Ensure your story has a clear beginning, middle, and end.

Incorporate sensory details to make your story more vivid and engaging.

Develop well-defined characters that contribute to the plot.

## Guiding Questions

1. What kind of encounter could be special and how can you make it unique?
2. How can you use descriptive language to bring your story to life?
3. What challenges might your characters face, and how can you overcome them?

## Activity 2: Reflection

Reflect on your writing process: What did you enjoy most about this assignment? What challenges did you face?

Consider peer review: Exchange your story with a classmate and provide constructive feedback.

## Extension Activities

Choose one of the following extension activities:

1. Alternative ending: Write an alternative ending to your story.
2. Illustrated story: Create illustrations or a comic strip based on your story.
3. Script writing: Convert your story into a short script.

### Success Criteria

Evaluate your work based on the following criteria:

- Creativity and originality: Does your story demonstrate a unique approach to the topic?
- Writing quality: Is your writing clear, coherent, and engaging?
- Story structure: Does your story have a well-defined beginning, middle, and end?
- Character and plot development: Are characters well-integrated into the plot?

## Parent/Guardian Notes

Support and encouragement: Encourage your child to explore their creativity and have fun with the assignment.

Time management: Help your child manage their time effectively to complete the assignment.

Feedback: Provide positive feedback that encourages creative efforts.

### Conclusion

Summarize your learning experience: What did you learn about creative writing?

Provide feedback: What would you like to improve on in your next writing assignment?

## Worksheet Activities

Complete the following activities:

1. Brainstorming: Write down as many ideas as possible related to the topic "An Encounter of a Special Kind."
2. Short Story: Write your short story (approximately 250-300 words) that describes "An Encounter of a Special Kind."
3. Reflection: Reflect on your writing process and consider peer review.
4. Extension Activity: Choose one of the extension activities and complete it.

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## Final Thoughts

Remember, creative writing is a process that takes time and practice to develop.

Don't be afraid to experiment and try new things.

Most importantly, have fun and enjoy the journey of creative writing!