

Story Plan

Strong opening

Beginning
Develop your plot
Middle
Powerful ending
End



Use the questions below as a guide to ignite your creativity and structure a winning story plan!



- Use a 'hook' e.g Does your character have a flashback?
 A sprinkle of intriguing dialogue...
 A glimpse into a vivid setting...
- What is your character doing?
- What is at stake? Why does does it matter?



- Use a couple of clues to signal something is about to happen...
- Describe a conflict or something unexpected that happens
- How does something get worse before it gets better?



- How is the problem eventually resolved?
- What are the consequences for the main character?
- Leave a strong impression e.g. Five years later what has changed since the beginning? A surprise...or a cliffhanger... Is there a thought or feeling that will stay with your character forever?