

Biographical Profile Directions

Take highlights from information you have gathered about your partner. Develop a profile that:

- Opens with an interesting detail about the person
- Reveals information about his or her interests and experiences through specific details and direct quotations (from three to six)
- Provides some explanation about why the information you chose to include is important
- Includes physical description of the person you are profiling, including actions, movements, and gestures
- Includes sensory details (sound of person's voice, other sounds or sensations in the classroom)
- Presents events in logical order
- Ends with a feeling of closure (reconnect with ideas in opening, focus on an interesting detail, or reflect on your own experience interviewing the person)