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Homework

Writing a diary entry

Use your notes from *War in Afghanistan and Iraq*, your experience reading the diary entries, and fluency passage reading to plan a diary entry of your own.

You will be an Iraqi teenager or child writing about a day in your life during the Iraq War.

Decide if you want to write as a boy or as a girl and how old you want to be.

Include at least three sentences that explain how the war affects your life. Use the cause and effect words **because** or **since**.

For example, you might write: *Because of the war, I could not go out shopping with my sisters today.*

Dear Diary,

Today,

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