

Assignment 2: In The Future

How does a writer decide what to write about? Most professional writers say that you should write about something you know. Use what is already in your mind. In creative writing, you are using what is in your mind and what is in your imagination.

For your first writing assignment you will be writing about yourself. Something that you should know very well! However, there will be a slight twist to the assignment that will allow you to be, well, creative!

Write about yourself in the future. This could be how you see yourself in five, ten, twenty year. What are you doing? How do you look? Are you married? Are you traveling around the world, in a top level job, or living by your wits?

Or; you have just celebrated your 95th birthday. Your great grandchildren have come for a visit and want "Great Grandpa / Grandma to tell us the story of your life." What are the highlights of your life that you will tell your great grandchildren?

This is your chance to write your dream future (or nightmare future, if you so see it.) Be creative and use your imagination but keep in mind the person you are. Try to be realistic. If you are afraid of heights, don't become a hang glider.

Your paper should be at least two pages, and of course, don't forget about correct grammar and spelling.

Good luck and see you in the future!