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# "You Are There" Diary



## Your Task:

Write 3 diary entries as if you were a person living through a historical event. Your diary should reflect the thoughts and feelings of someone living through it. You should include 3 vocabulary words from the unit, underlined.

*This entire sheet must be submitted with your assignment, stapled to the upper left hand corner.*

## Instructions:

1. Choose what type of person you will be (rich, poor, king, peasant, soldier, etc) Describe who you are and how you are involved in the event.
2. Write one entry about the beginning of the event. Include the date. Briefly describe how the event began (if your person would know), and include your feelings about the event and your involvement or involvement of people you know.
3. Write one entry about the middle of the event. Include the date. Mention whether things are better than the beginning or not.
4. Write one entry about the end of the event. Include the date. Describe your character's feelings about the event now that he/she has lived through the whole thing.

## "You are there" Diary Rubric

Description of character is detailed/realistic, including involvement in event. \_\_\_\_\_/15

Beginning of event is described, with detailed feelings explained thoughtfully \_\_\_\_\_/15

Middle of event includes details of events with feelings explained thoughtfully \_\_\_\_\_/15

End of the event includes details of events with feelings explained thoughtfully \_\_\_\_\_/15

Vocabulary used to enhance writing, underlined \_\_\_\_\_/10

Organization/spelling/neatness/grammar conventions \_\_\_\_\_/5

Total\_\_\_\_\_/75