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Planning Narrative Poems

“Casey at the Bat” tells a story about how things didn’t work out the way the people of Mudville thought they would. You’ll follow its example in this writing activity.

To get started, think of a time when something didn’t go the way you expected. Type a sentence about that time in the space that follows.

Now answer the following questions to help you develop your ideas for your own poem.

1. Describe the scene of your story. Where were you?

2. When did the story take place?

3. Who was there with you?
