

Now **YOU** Be an Author!!



4th Grade Writing Challenge

Choose one of the following options:

1. Choose ONE of these Wisconsin Big Ideas. Research and write about the information you find.

1. Wisconsin Geography
2. Wisconsin History and People
3. Wisconsin Immigration and Economy
4. Wisconsin Government
5. Wisconsin's Native Americans
6. Wisconsin's Ties to the Underground Railroad
7. Famous Wisconsinites
8. Our Environment
9. Interesting Wisconsin Facts and Places to Visit

OR

2. Choose a Famous Wisconsin Place or Person you are interested in.

Use the book, **Wisconsin Portraits** written by Martin Hintz and additional research on your selection. Create a story, interview, article, etc. about your famous person or place. Use true information from your research, but write in your own words. Be creative and have fun!

WRITING GUIDELINES

Remember to do your best effort because the story you write will be published in the Creative Writing Challenge Books!

Leave 1" margins on all sides so your story can be bound into the SHARP Literacy Inc. Writing Books.

Write a first draft, use your vocabulary words.

Make corrections and write *in ink* or **type** for your final copy.



Use 8 1/2" x 11" white paper.

Please keep your story and illustration to **ONE** page.

You may illustrate your story, but an illustration should not replace writing.

Make sure your name, school and teacher's name are on the bottom of your story.