









# A biography

A biography is the written history of a real person's life. A good biography should include these facts:

	<p><b>Birth</b>          He / she ..... born          Give the date and the place of birth. Give his / her nationality and origin if relevant.</p>
	<p><b>Family &amp; Childhood</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Give some details about his/her family : his parents (names and jobs if possible) and number of brothers and sisters</li> <li>• Tell how he /she spent his /her childhood.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Studies</b>          Places where he / she studied, what he or she graduated in. (dates)          If he / she had other jobs before becoming famous.          To study at ... = ..... to graduate from: .....</p>
	<p><b>Marriage</b>          Say when and who he / she married.          Attention: <i>to marry someone</i>          Or <i>to get married (intransitive)</i></p>
	<p><b>Children</b>          Say how many children he or she had, give their names and say when they were born</p>
	<p><b>What made him / her famous</b>          When he / she started his / her career.          What made him / her famous (his / her works), in what field, what he / she invented....</p>
	<p><b>Death</b>          Say when, where and, if possible, how he died.          If the person is still alive, say where he /she lives and what he/ she is doing at present.          Attention : to die = morir; dead = muerto</p>
	<p><b>Influence/ Opinion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Point out why he /she had been so influential or if she /he is still alive, why the person is important today.</li> <li>• Finally, give your view on the famous person and why you like him/ her.</li> </ul>

Write the biography of **John Fitzgerald Kennedy** with this information:

29<sup>th</sup> May 1917 – Brookline, Massachusetts - American – Irish descent – parents: Joe and Rose Kennedy – wealthy family – eight brothers and sisters - Harvard University – 1941 (join) the Navy – 1946 (begin) his political career – 1953 (marry) Jacqueline Bouvier – two children: Caroline 1957 and John 1960 - January 1961 (become) the youngest President of the USA – 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1963 Dallas, Texas assassinated.

Or choose one of these celebrities: **Amelia Earheart, Gandhi, Steve Jobs, Michael Jackson, J.K. Rowling, Julio Verne, Marie Curie, Andie Warhol, John Ford, Leonardo da Vinci, Fidel Castro, Lady Gaga, Frida Kahlo, Marilyn Monroe, Malala Yousafzai, Mata Hari, Mozart, Carme Ruscalleda, María León, Pedro Almodóvar.**