

English: Common Core Classes

Unit 7 (Arts) - Writing

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I- Activities

1-1/ Biographies

• Who is your favourite artist? Use the questions below to write a paragraph about him / her.

What's her / his name?

When was she / he born?

Where was she / he born?

What do you know about her / his personal life?

What work is (was) she / he famous for?

Why do you like her / him?

I- Activities

1-2/ More Artists

- Write a biography about a person in your family (father, mother, uncle...etc). These questions may help you:
- 1. When and where was he/she born?
- 2. Who were his/her parents?
- 3. Did he/she go to school or university?
- 4. When did he/she get married?
- 5. How did he /she meet his wife/her husband?
- 6. When did he/she have his/her first child?
- 7. Where does he/she live now?
- 8. How many children does he/she have now?

I- Activities

1-3/ Focus on Music

• Rearrange the sentences below to write Ray Charles' biography :

| And at the age of seven, he went completely blind. |
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| In 1954, he formed his own jazz group and made his first record. |
| They named him Charles Ray Robinson. |
| Ray Charles was an American singer, composer, and pianist. In 1020 he want to St. Augustine School for the Doof and the Blind in Florida. |
| In 1939 he went toSt AugustineSchool for the Deaf and the Blind in Florida His parents were Baily and Areatha Robinson. |
| He studied music, piano, and Braille there. |
| He was bom in Albany, Georgia on September 23, 1930. |
| Charles had a serious eye disease in 1935. |
| Charles had a schous eye disease in 1999. |
| II- Practice |
| 2-1/ Exercise 1 |
| • Find the errors in these sentences and correct them : |
| 1. Picasso were born in malaga, spain. |
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| 2. my parents was good artist when they was in high school. |
| 3. I didn't went to the movies last week. I stay in home |
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| 4. We have a nice day yesterday. We go to a concert. |
| 5. Where Charlie chaplin grow up? |
| 6. How old Van Gogh was when he die? |
| 7. What you did last weekend? |
| 8. Who you went with to the museum last week |
| 9. What job was father um kalthum |
| 10. What kind movie you see last night? |
| II- Practice |
| 2-2/ Exercise 2 |
| • Write a paragraph about a film you have seen and liked very much. Use the answers to these questions to help you write your paragraph : |
| Which film did you see? |
| When did you see it? |
| Where did you see it? |
| Who did you see it with? |
| How long was it? |
| Who acted in it? |

What was the story about? What did you like about it?