

Another Way to Think About Your Story . . .

3. Climax:

What happened next? This should be the biggest event in your story – the last problem you face before things start to “settle down”.

2. Rising Action:

What happened first?
What started the events that led to your lesson?

4. Falling Action:

What happened last?
You should be wrapping up your story – this may even be your concluding paragraph.

1. Exposition:

Where is the story going to take place?
Who are the characters?
What is the background information?

5. Resolution:

What lesson did you learn?
How did this event make you learn something valuable? Will you apply this to your life in the future? Does it explain something you’ve always wondered about? How will this impact your life from here on out?

