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Due Date:

Topic: **Generational Interview**

Skill: **Multi-paragraph organization – Third Person Narrative**

**Topic Description**

Interview an elderly relative or family friend. Try to think of 10 – 15 questions to ask this person. You may choose from the list on the back of this sheet or create your own questions. After writing down your questions and his/her responses to those questions, you will need to *rewrite* the information in three to five paragraphs using third person narrative form. The questions will not be in your paragraphs, just the *information* from your questions.

**Skill Description**

Retelling a story from one form to another is your writing task. Knowing what information to ignore and what to retain is key as well as organizing the information you select.

**Examples of third person pronouns:**

He/him/his/she/her/hers/it/its

They/them/theirs

**Examples of third person style:**

*He* was born in the 1920s, several years before the great depression.

*Aunt Ruth* spent *her* early years jumping rope outside the one room schoolhouse.

<b>ME Book Rubric</b>		
<b>Me</b>	<b>Teacher</b>	<b>Objective</b>
		<b>Rewrote the interview in paragraph form using third person style (3 pts)</b>
		<b>Proofread for spelling, grammar, and punctuation (2 pts)</b>
		<b>Content is appropriate</b>
		<b>Includes a title, border, and picture</b>
		<b>Includes your name on front and back</b>
		<b>Mounted on colored construction paper</b>
		<b>Handed in on time clipped to this assignment sheet</b>
		<b>Total Points</b>