

Worksheet 1 - Personal Narrative: Topic Brainstorm

Name:

Directions: Choose three (3) different topics, and in the column under each topic freely brainstorm your memories, feelings and experiences. For example: "Topic #1: **Holidays** spent with my family, cooking food together, the kitchen is always crowded, Dad making his "famous" stuffing, the time we had Thanksgiving at my sister's house and everything went wrong".

Possible topics: Holidays, Family, Friends, Food with new people or strangers, Traveling/vacations, Special events or occasions, traditions, cooking together, food disasters, unusual food experiences, food experiments, food successes, "American" food, "non-American" food

Topic #1:	Topic #2:	Topic #3: