

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

YOU ARE THERE -- WRITING A MONOLOG

Dear Parent or Guardian,

We are learning how to write a monolog. I hope you enjoy this activity with me. This assignment is due _____.

Sincerely,

OBJECTIVE

To write and present a monolog, acting as a major figure in a newspaper or magazine photograph.

MATERIALS

a newspaper or magazine, scissors, glue/paste



PROCEDURE

1. Skim the pages of a newspaper or magazine and find a photograph of an interesting or unusual person. If there is an article about the person in the picture, read it.
2. Cut out your picture and paste it on notebook paper or staple it to this page.
3. Pretend that **YOU are the key figure in the photograph.**
4. Answer these questions as if you were the person in the photograph.

Where are you in the photograph? _____

What are you doing in the photograph? _____

When was the photograph taken? _____

Why are you in the newspaper/magazine? _____

How do you feel about being the subject of a newspaper/magazine photograph?

What was going through your mind when you were being photographed or interviewed?

What message were you trying to give about your ideas or feelings?
