

Lesson: *Like Water For Chocolate*

Student Name: _____ **Date:** _____
Period: _____

Family Tradition

The goal of this assignment is for you to write a narrative using sensory details about a family tradition that involves food. This assignment requires that you do some research. You need to talk with family members to determine the origin of the family tradition (Where did it start? Why did it start? Who started it? How was it started?).

Writing Instructions: (This is a 3-page assignment)

Narrative: (Pages 1 & 2)

- _____ Title
- _____ Three sensory images
- _____ Two full pages typed
- _____ Format: (1 inch margin: top, bottom and sides: black ink; times new roman print; and double space).
- _____ Specific details for effect
- _____ Personification
- _____ Origin of family tradition
- _____ Active verbs
- _____ Free of grammar or spelling errors.
- _____ Three drafts that include editing marks submitted with final writing.

Page 3 – Recipe and instructions for preparing the food.

- _____ One recipe (do not use a recipe from a cookbook).
- _____ Instructions for preparing the food

In writing your narrative, use the model narratives discussed in class to help you write a well-organized essay.

No late assignments.