

Flash Fiction Template

<p>INTRODUCTION: 100 WORDS Intro characters and setting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. 1 or 2 characters, never more than 3b. What are they doing, where are they?c. Establish genre	
<p>EXPOSITION: 150 WORDS Expand on the setting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Say more about characters, where and WHY they're there.b. Show a problem they are facing. An obstruction to everyday life.c. What kind of situation are they in.d. How does this affect their interactions?	
<p>CLIMAX: 200 WORDS Narrative twist and story payoff.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Climax can be good or bad – should affect characters in a significant way.b. Should be something unexpected – a revelation that makes everything change.c. Subvert readers' expectations. Take an element of the characters or setting and flip it on its head.	
<p>CONCLUSION 50 WORDS Note this is a conclusion not a resolution.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. No need for a satisfying ending, just something to think aboutb. Wrap up that issue, but leave the bigger story to your reader's imagination.	