

Unit 1

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Courage in Stories Assignment

You are a reporter for the local newspaper.

Your assignment is to write an article about a person, character, or animal who displayed courage. You may focus on one person, character, or animal from the selections in **Literacy in Action** or from someone in your family or community.

- 1 Think about the actions of characters or people in the stories you read. Complete the following chart.

Stories	
Character/Person	How Did He or She Display Courage?
Mia	
James Arnell	







Seema	
Silken Laumann	


2 Think about courage displayed in the following pictures.

- Write at least one sentence for each picture.
- Be sure to include who was brave and how courage was shown.
- Use lots of detail and descriptive words.

Pictures

Student Name:

		
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- 3 Think about courage displayed by someone in your family or community. Complete the following chart.

Family or Community Member

Person	How Did He or She Display Courage?
Name:	
Relationship to me:	
a. aunt b. brother c. father d. grandfather e. grandmother f. great aunt g. great grandfather h. great grandmother i. great uncle j. mother k. sister l. uncle	

- 4 Use the information in your response to Questions 1, 2, or 3 to write an article about **one** person, character, or animal. Include accurate information about the display of courage and use descriptive language to make your article interesting.

Write your newspaper article here.



Rubric

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Read the **Courage in Stories Rubric** to ensure your article fulfills assignment expectations.



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