



Mini Essay Training

Initial Brainstorm 7 Categories

People (family members, coaches, mentors, teachers)	
Places (favorite city, spot in the living room, pitching mound, etc.)	
Leadership (Leadership does not always come in a title)	
Experiences (single parent home, oldest sibling, raised on farm, travel, etc.)	



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Hobbies/ Co-Curriculars (sports, special interests - something you've done for years or for weeks - that you enjoy!)	
Objects (jewelry, collections, look in your bedroom, locker, car, etc.)	
Work &/or Academic Experiences (lessons learned / interests in future major or career path)	