



Life Writers -Weekly Checklist

Summer Session 2022

JUNE

[Week 1 - May 30-June 5](#)

LIVE EVENTS:

- Session Kickoff party and orientation (Tuesday, May 31 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Buddy Group Orientation (Thursday, June 2 at 6:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Complete the Get Started Roadmap course
- Plan to join the Practice Feedback Session (Tuesday, June 14 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
If you want to submit a story for possible review, do so by Tuesday, June 7 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Review the Buddy Group document, First Buddy Group Meeting, before Thursday (click link on At-a-Glance page)
- Order *Between Two Kingdoms: A Memoir of a Life Interrupted* by Suleika Jaouad for the Summer 2022 session
- VIPs only: work on a story for VIP feedback*

Week 2 – June 6-12

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, June 6 at 2:00 p.m. ET)
- Optional:* Writing Your Life's First Tuesday Write and Read event (Tuesday, June 7 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, June 8 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Plan to join the Practice Feedback Session (Tuesday, June 14 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
If you want to submit a story for possible review, do so by Tuesday, June 7 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Begin working on a story for feedback if planning to participate in Feedback Session (Tuesday, June 28 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- VIPs only: if you signed up to share a story for VIP Feedback, post your story on VIP page by 11:59 p.m. ET on Tuesday, June 7**
- VIPs only: review the stories posted on the VIP page for VIP Feedback**

Week 3 – June 13-19

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, June 13 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE – Practice Feedback Session (Tuesday, June 14 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- VIPs only: Feedback Group with Patricia (Tuesday, June 14 at 6:00 p.m. ET)**
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, June 15 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, and Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages xi-34, chapters xi-4
- Finalize story for feedback if planning to participate (submit by Tuesday, June 21 at 11:59 p.m. ET)

- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – June page by Tuesday, June 21 at 11:59 p.m. ET

Week 4 - June 20-June 26

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, June 20 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Between Two Kingdoms* master class (Tuesday, June 21 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, June 22 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 35-65, chapters 5-8
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – June page by Tuesday, June 21 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Review your feedback group members' stories on Share Stories - June page (if participating in Feedback Group)
- Catch up on assignments or writing work

Week 5 - June 27-July 3

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, June 27 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, June 28 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- Feedback Group (Tuesday, June 28 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, June 29 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, and Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 66-96, chapter 9-11
- Finish reviewing your feedback group members' stories on Share Stories – June page (if participating in Feedback Group)
- VIPs only: work on a story for VIP feedback*

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Week 1 - July 4-10

LIVE EVENTS:

- No Weekly Goals Check-in this week for July 4th
- Optional:* Writing Your Life's First Tuesday Write and Read event (Tuesday, July 5 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, July 6 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, and Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 97-129, chapters 12-15
- Begin work on a story for feedback (if participating in Feedback Session)
- Catch up on assignments or writing work
- VIPs only: if you signed up to share a story for VIP Feedback, post your story on VIP page by 11:59 p.m. ET on Tuesday, July 5**
- VIPs only: review the stories posted on the VIP page for VIP Feedback**

Week 2 - July 11-17

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, July 11 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, July 12 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- VIPs only: Feedback Group with Patricia (Tuesday, July 12 at 6:00 p.m. ET)**
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, July 13 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 130-152, chapters 16-18
- Finalize story for feedback if planning to participate (submit by Tuesday, July 19 at 11:59 p.m. ET)
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories - July page by Tuesday, July 19 at 11:59 p.m. ET

Week 3 – July 18-24

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, July 18 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Between Two Kingdoms* master class (Tuesday, July 19 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, July 20 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 153-179, chapters 19-21
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – July page by Tuesday, July 19 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Review your feedback group members’ stories on Share Stories - July page (if participating in Feedback Group)

Week 4 – July 25-31

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, July 25 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, July 26 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- Feedback Group session (Tuesday, July 26 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, July 27 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 180-215, chapters 22-25
- Finish reviewing your feedback group members’ stories on Share Stories – July page (if participating in Feedback Group)
- Catch up on assignments or writing work
- VIPs only: work on a story for VIP feedback*

August

Week 1 – August 1-7

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, August 1 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Optional:* Writing Your Life's First Tuesday Write and Read event (Tuesday, August 2 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, August 3 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 216-243, chapters 26-27
- Begin work on a story for feedback (if participating in Feedback Group)
- Catch up on assignments or writing work
- VIPs only: if you signed up to share a story for VIP Feedback, post your story on VIP page by 11:59 p.m. ET on Tuesday, August 2**
- VIPs only: review the stories posted on the VIP page for VIP Feedback**

Week 2 – August 8-14

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, August 8 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, August 9 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- VIPs only: Feedback Group with Patricia (Tuesday, August 9 at 6:00 p.m. ET)**
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, August 10 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 244-265, chapters 28-29
- Finalize story for feedback if planning to participate (submit by Tuesday, August 16 at 11:59 p.m. ET)
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – August page by Tuesday, August 16 at 11:59 p.m. ET

Week 3 – August 15-21

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, August 15 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Between Two Kingdoms* master class (Tuesday, August 16 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, August 17 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 266-287, chapters 30-31
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – August page by Tuesday, August 16 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Review your feedback group members' stories on Share Stories - August page (if participating in Feedback Group)

Week 4 – August 22-28

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, August 22 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, August 23 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- Feedback Group session (Tuesday, August 23 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, August 24 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 288-318, chapters 32-33
- Finish reviewing your feedback group members' stories on Share Stories – August page (if participating in Feedback Group)

Week 5 – August 29-September 4

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, August 29 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Open Mic Night (Tuesday, August 30 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, August 31 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Structure, Purpose, Theme course: watch video and complete assignment
- Read *Between Two Kingdoms*, pages 319-349, chapters 34-About the Author
- Catch up on assignments or writing work

SEPTEMBER

Week 1 – September 5-11

LIVE EVENTS:

- No Weekly Goals Check-in – Happy Labor Day!
- Optional:* Writing Your Life's First Tuesday Write and Read event (Tuesday, September 6 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, September 7 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)
- Optional:* Writing Your Life's Challenge Kick Off on Sunday, September 11 (if participating in the challenge)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Optional:* sign up for the Writing Your Life's Challenge (if planning to participate)
- Begin work on a story for feedback (if planning to participate)
- Prepare story for Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1) if planning to participate (two double-spaced pages, maximum 5-minute reading)
- Sign up to read at the Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET)

- Invite friends and family to join you for the Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET)

Week 2 – September 12-18

LIVE EVENTS:

- Optional:* Writing Your Life's Free Five-Dy Writing Challenge, Monday, September 12 – Friday, September 16
- Optional:* Daily Check-in for Free Five-Dy Writing Challenge, Monday, September 12 – Friday, September 16 at 1:00 p.m. ET
- NO Weekly Goals Check-in this week
- NO Writers CAFE this week
- NO VIP Feedback Group this month**
- NO Virtual Write-in this week

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Finalize story for feedback if planning to participate (Tuesday, September 27)
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – September page by Tuesday, September 20 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Prepare story for Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1) if planning to participate (two double-spaced pages, maximum 5-minute reading)
- Sign up to read at the Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET)
- Invite friends and family to join you for the Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET)

Week 3 – September 19-25

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, September 19 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Between Two Kingdoms* Book Discussion (Tuesday, September 20 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Free, live, virtual workshop – topic TBA (Wednesday, September 21, 6:00 p.m. ET)

- Workshop Replay and Live Q&A (Thursday, September 22 at 2 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Register for Feedback Group - post feedback story to Share Stories – September page by Tuesday, September 20 at 11:59 p.m. ET
- Review your feedback group members' stories on Share Stories – September page (if participating in Feedback Group)
- Finalize story for Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1) if planning to participate (strictly enforced maximum 5-minute reading)
- Sign up to read during the Read and Celebrate event (link will be on At a Glance page)

Week 4 – September 26-October 2

LIVE EVENTS:

- Weekly Goals Check-in via Zoom (Monday, September 26 at 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. ET)
- Writers CAFE (Tuesday, September 27 at 5:00 p.m. ET)
- Feedback Group session (Tuesday, September 27 at 6:00 p.m. ET)
- Virtual Write-in (Wednesday, September 28 at 2:00-4:00 p.m. ET)
- Summer Session Read and Celebrate event (Saturday, October 1, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. ET)

TASKS:

- Personal writing time
- Finish reviewing your feedback group members' stories (if participating in Feedback Group)
- VIPs only: work on a story for VIP feedback (if participating in next session)**
- Gear up for a new session of Life Writers starting Monday, October 2!**