

Il était une fois... *(150 points)*

Des étudiants de Français 2 qui aimaient beaucoup écrire. Alors leur professeur leur a donné l'occasion de le faire pour les examens de fin de semestre!

For your final, you are to write a children's story. Please underline the word children (thus no bad words, horrific events, inappropriate expressions...)

The guidelines:

- *Story is to be of your own creation.*
- *Be creative: when choosing characters, story line, illustration, presentation....*
- *The story should be at least 350 words.*
- *The story needs to have 10 pages:
1 front cover page should include: title, author's name (i.e yours) and a small illustration.
8 pages for the story with an illustration on at least every other page (i.e at least 4 illustrations)
1 back page for giving credits or referencing. No plagiarism!*
- *Please follow the grammar, spelling, syntax rules.*
- *The story is a children's story targeting 1st and 2nd graders. DO NOT USE DIFFICULT WORDS AND UNUSUAL SYNTAX!*
- *The story is to be read to the rest of the class on Final Day.*
- *Have fun! Be creative!*
- *First draft is due to madame by email on December 5 by midnight. Stories will be reviewed on a first come first serve basis. On Wednesday December 7, we will use part of the class period for a peer review/assistance in correcting mistakes (bring your laptops or hardcopies on that day).*
- *Final draft is due on final day during the final exam. On that day, you will also be asked to read your story.*

Rubric

- The book is worth 100 points
- You will lose one point for every mistake (grammar, spelling, agreement, word omission, or incomprehensible words)
- You will lose 10 points per page less than 10 pages.
- You will lose 5 points for every word less than 350.
- You will lose 10 points for every missing illustration.
- You will lose 5 points every time I suspect that you have used an online translator
- The presentation is worth 30 points
- You will lose 1 point for each mispronounced word.
- You will lose 1 point for each word I do not understand.
- Creativity is worth 20 points
- Use your imagination and create a fun, unique, interesting story!
- Do not copy a story that already exists!
- Effort really counts!