

BIOGRAPHY



[NAME] was born on in With ... brothers andsisters, [NAME] was the child of [FATHER'S NAME] and [MOTHER'S NAME]. As a child Even though, s/he....., s/he..... By the time s/he was....., s/he.....

At a young age Either by chance or design s/he..... Once s/he had....., s/he..... One of the remarkable facts about... Strangely.....

In [YEAR], at the age of ..., s/he..... Despite the fact that, he As it happened..... What is clear is that s/he.... His/her most impressive achievement has been to In my view..... In many ways..... It is difficult to understand why.....

Towards the end of his life Although s/he....., s/he..... S/He will probably be best remembered for.... His lasting legacy is..... We can only wonder whether, if s/he hadn't, would this.....





Pick 'n' Mix – *Stand out from the crowd!*

Time connectives

As a child . . .

During his early life . . .

At a young age . . .

In his early years . . .

As a teenager he . . .

Shortly after this . . .

The time came for . . .

By the time he had . . .

Many years later . . .

In 1878, at the age of . . . he . . .

In his later years . . .

Towards the end of his life . .

In his final years . . .

Other starters

Either by chance or by design . . .

As it happened . . .

Sometimes he . . .

Once he had . . .

What is clear is that . . .

Nobody is sure why . . .

Making statements

One of the interesting things about . . . was . . .

One of the most remarkable facts about . . .

Strangely . . .

Another unusual thing about . . . was . . .

Complex sentence starters

Even though . . .

Although . . .

Despite the fact that . . .

In spite of . . .

Expressing a viewpoint

In my view . . .

As I see it . . .

I believe that . . .

In many ways . . .

It's difficult to understand why . . .

Speculating

He might have been . . .

If he hadn't . . . he would
have . . .