Features of... Expository Writing- Descriptive

• It has four forms:

Imaginative Description-

- o It may sound like poetry.
- o It uses figurative language.
- It appeals to the senses.

Factual Description-

- o It shares facts, not opinions.
- o It describes objects and processes clearly.
- o It uses content vocabulary/words that fit the topic.

Narrative Description-

- o It describes a sequence of events.
- It uses action verbs and descriptive phrases to paint a scene and convey emotion.

Realistic Description-

- It tells about one event or situation that really happened.
- It describes things as they really happened so that the reader can understand.
- o It uses colorful but specific language.
- All forms have a topic sentence, body, and conclusion.
- The voice, tone, and mood of each piece changes to match the audience and the purpose for writing.