

Helping Hand

Helping others feels good. It is easy to help someone who needs it. You could help a friend find a book they are looking for. Or you could help your parents by taking out the trash. You could even help people you don't know by holding the door open for them at the store. Helping someone does not have to be about big things. Even helping in small ways makes you feel good.

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Write a new story about a time you helped someone, including how you helped, why you helped, and how you felt afterward.

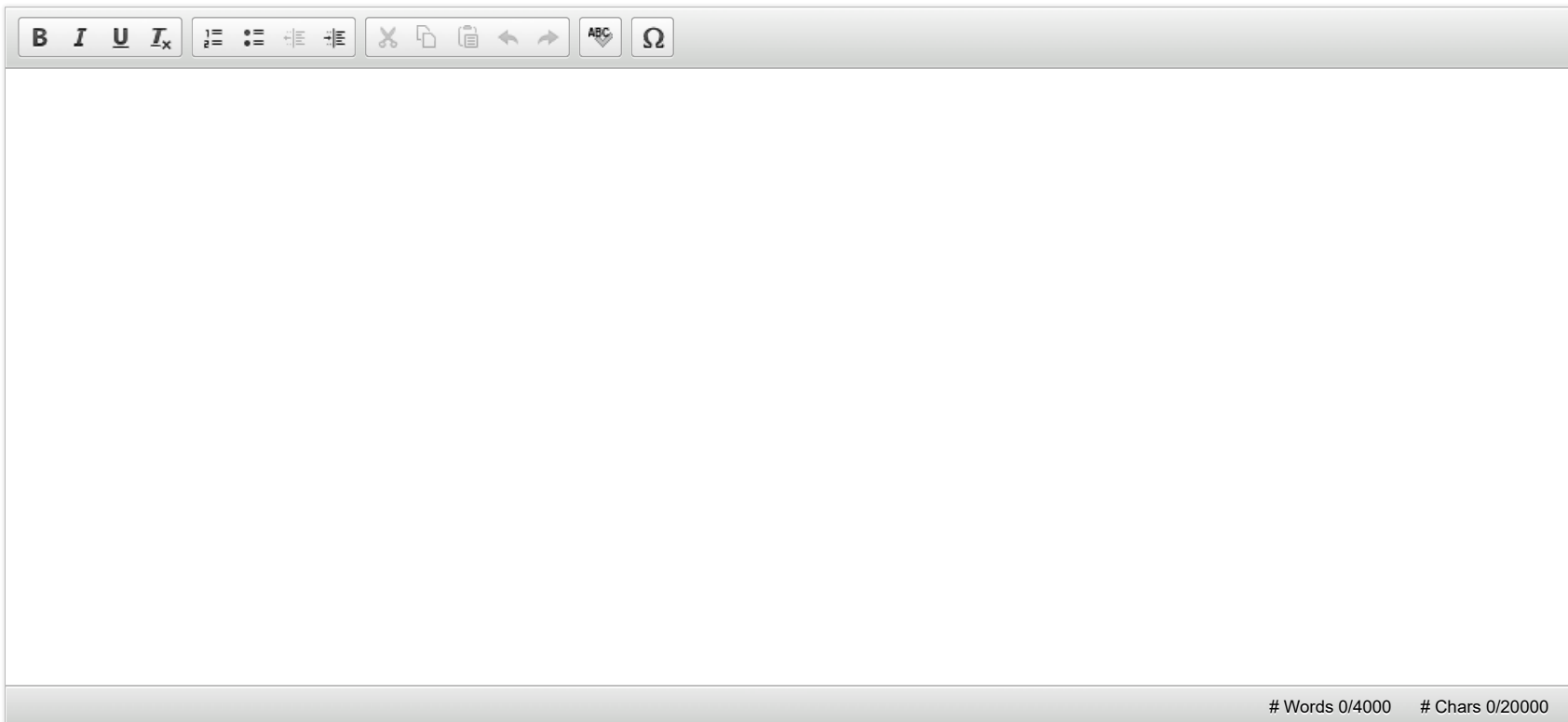
Manage your time carefully so you can

- plan
- write
- revise
- edit

Be sure to include

- a logical sequence of events
- a strong narrator and character development
- a descriptive setting

Your response should be in the form of a multiparagraph story. Write your story in the space provided.



The form is a rich text editor. At the top, there is a toolbar with the following icons from left to right: Bold (B), Italic (I), Underline (U), Strikethrough (I_x), Bulleted List, Numbered List, Decrease Indent, Increase Indent, Cut, Copy, Paste, Undo, Redo, Spell Check (ABC), and Insert Link (Ω). Below the toolbar is a large, empty text area for writing the story. At the bottom right of the text area, there is a status bar showing "# Words 0/4000" and "# Chars 0/20000".