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5. Includes true facts and relevant information.
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8. The author’s purpose is to provide factual information to the reader.
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12. Could take the form of an autobiography or a webpage.
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