

# STORIES

## — my everyday life —

### **July Prompts for Stories, My Everyday Life**

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**Your Goal:** To tell the story of your everyday life using 365 photos (366 in a Leap Year), a priceless collection of tiny stories, and a handful of beautifully designed scrapbook pages.

- Step One: Collect Photos and Tiny Stories
- Step Two: Share in the Private Class Forum
- Step Three: Display Your Photos and Stories Beautifully

For more information, check the Stories, My Everyday Life Manual.

#### **Prompts for July 1**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. You're halfway done with MEL. Tell a tiny story about how well you've done. Include a photo.

Option 3. Do you have a favorite joke that you like to tell? Happy International Joke Day. Tell your joke and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the July 1 comments.

#### **Prompts for July 2**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of something (not a person) in your life that you cannot live without. Tell a tiny story of why it's so important to you.

Option 3. What are you reading? What books, magazines, or audiobooks have you started and/or finished this month? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the July 2 comments.

### **Prompts for July 3**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a screenshot of the home screen on your phone and use it for your daily photo. Tell a tiny story about why you chose that image to display.

Option 3. Capture a photo of your favorite meme. Tell a tiny story about why you love it.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 3 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 4**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. If you live in the US, tell a tiny story about what Independence Day means to you. Include a photo.

Option 3. What's the hardest thing you're dealing with right now? Take a photo that would represent this trial and talk about it.

BONUS. Today is the day, according to the National Holidays map, that you should see if you can fry an egg on the sidewalk. Happy National Sidewalk Egg Frying Day!

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 4 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 5**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. What is one thing that you'd like to see **less of** in your life? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

Option 3. What is one thing that you'd like to see **more of** in your life? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

Feel free to use both!

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 5 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 6**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about your favorite ice cream flavor. Include a photo.

Option 3. Describe your current self in four words. Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 6 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 7**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about your relationship with chocolate. Include a photo. Happy World Chocolate Day!

Option 3. Tell a tiny story about something you're confident about. Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 7 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 8**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about what's blooming in your yard today. Include a photo.

Option 3. Do you have any video games in your home? If so, do you play them? Celebrate National Video Games Day by telling a tiny story. Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 8 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 9**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. In celebration of National Sugar Cookie Day, share your favorite sugar cookie recipe— with or without frosting! Include a photo.

Option 3. What's your favorite cold beverage? Iced coffee, iced tea, soda? Take a photo and tell a tiny story.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 9 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 10**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about the last gathering you attended. Include a photo.

Option 3. Tell a tiny story about the last purchase you made. Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 10 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 11**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Fill in the blank. The last thing I bought myself was \_\_\_\_\_. Include a photo.

Option 3. Who's the last person who made you laugh? Take a photo of them or get them to send you one. Tell a tiny story about what was so funny.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 11 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 12**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of the last thing you created and are proud of. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What are you currently reading or listening to? Tell a tiny story about it and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 12 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 13**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of your favorite piece of furniture. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's the last totally geeky thing you did? Tell a tiny story and include a photo. Happy Embrace Your Geekness Day!

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 13 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 14**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of a handmade or DIY project. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's your favorite type of cuisine? Tell a tiny story about it and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 14 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 15**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Gummy worms. Why or why not? Include a photo with your tiny story. Oh, and happy National Gummy Worm Day!

Option 3. What's your morning routine? Do you have daily morning chores? Do you read? Take a long and leisurely walk? Capture a photo and tell a tiny story about your typical morning routine.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 15 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 16**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. What are you grateful for today, or this week, or this month? Take a photo that best represents it and tell a tiny story of why you're grateful for it.

Option 3. What is your favorite way to stay active? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 16 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 17**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of a cherished family heirloom. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. To celebrate World Emoji Day, describe yourself in 5 emojis or less. Use the emojis as the photo and then tell a tiny story about what those emojis represent.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 17 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 18**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Retell a tiny story about a recent act of kindness or generosity. This could be by you or directed to you. Include a photo.

Option 3. What's your favorite type of architecture? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 18 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 19**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of a pet or a neighborhood animal. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's your favorite holiday or celebration? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 19 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 20**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Capture a photo of a local landmark or street. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's one thing you are looking forward to? Capture a photo or screenshot of it and tell a tiny story about why you're looking forward to it.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 20 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 21**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of your favorite piece of art or a meaningful object on your wall. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. To celebrate National Junk Food Day, tell a tiny story about your favorite junk food item and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 21 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 22**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of your favorite thing about summer. Tell a tiny story about the photo.

Option 3. What's for dinner tonight? Take a photo and tell a tiny story.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 22 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 23**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of your favorite outdoor space. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's your favorite type of music? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 23 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 24**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of what made you smile today and tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. Happy National Cousins Day. Tell a tiny story about your relationship with your cousins. Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 24 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 25**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about your favorite kind of flower. Include a photo.

Option 3. What's in your purse or wallet right now that's not normally there? Take a photo and tell a tiny story.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 25 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 26**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Take a photo of your favorite pants (not jeans) and tell a tiny story about them. Happy National Pants Day!

Option 3. What was your least favorite part of today? Take a photo that represents it and tell a tiny story.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 26 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 27**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Capture a photo of a favorite piece of jewelry, one that does not contain a precious jewel. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What local restaurant is your favorite for eating dinner? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 27 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 28**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about a moment of personal success or triumph. Include a photo.

Option 3. What's your favorite type of outdoor activity? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 28 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 29**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Capture a photo of your favorite type of tree. Tell a tiny story about it.

Option 3. What's your favorite kind of fruit that's in season right now? Tell a tiny story and include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 29 comments](#).

### **Prompts for July 30**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a tiny story about the newest friend you made. How did you meet? Include a photo. Happy International Day of Friendship.

Option 3. Tell a tiny story about your favorite genre of movies or TV shows. Do you like horrors? How about chick flicks? Include a photo.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 30 comments](#).

## **Prompts for July 31**

Option 1. Capture a photo and tiny story from this day. It can be ordinary or extraordinary.

Option 2. Tell a story about your favorite form of artistic expression. Include a photo.

Option 3. Do you play any uncommon musical instruments? Any instruments at all? Tell a tiny story and include a photo. Happy National Uncommon Musical Instrument Day.

See what others were inspired to capture in the [July 31 comments](#).