DAILY JOURNAL

Let's record everything that happens today! One day, you'll look back and be able to remember it more clearly.
First, what's the DATE?
WHO are you with?



Susan Fenimore Cooper (1813–1894) kept a detailed diary of all the birds and plants she observed in the countryside near her home in Cooperstown, New York, USA. She turned her notes into a book called **Rural Hours**, one of the first of its kind, and an inspiration to many nature writers.

Henry David Thoreau (1817–1862) lived in **Walden Woods** in Concord, Massachussetts, USA for two years, two months and two days in a cabin he'd built himself. Thoreau devoted his life to nature, and made notes on things he saw on daily walks through forests and fields.

>> Make a note of what you did at these different times today.
8.00 am:
10.00 am:
lunchtime (make a note of what you ATE):
2.00 pm:
6.00 pm:
8.00 pm:
>> What was the BEST thing about today?

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