

ROALD DAHL BIOGRAPHY.

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CHILDHOOD

he was born in _____ on _____
his parents were _____
his father and his elder sister died when he was _____
he kept a secret diary from the age of ____



SCHOOL

he attended Llandaff Cathedral School from _____
he arrived at St Peter's school (an English boarding school) when _____
he wrote to his mother once a week from 1925 until _____
he started at Repton (famous public school) when _____

→ He wrote about his childhood and school days in his _____ entitled BOY



WAR AND ADVENTURE

he didn't go to university at _____ and joined an expedition to Newfoundland.
he signed up with the Royal Air Force in Nairobi when _____
he was transferred to Washington in _____

→ Dahl's exploits in the war are detailed in his autobiography entitled _____



MASTER OF THE UNEXPECTED : DAHL'S WRITING FOR ADULTS

he concentrated on writing for adults for _____
Many of his _____ were televised.



THE WORLD'S FAVOURITE CHILDREN'S AUTHOR

James and the Giant Peach was published in _____ in the US
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory was published in the US in _____
He won the Children's Book Award for *Matilda* in _____

THE STORY CONTINUES

He died on _____, at _____
He was working on _____ books.
The sales have continued to grow since _____.



ROALD DAHL BIOGRAPHY (CORRECTION)

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CHILDHOOD

he was born in Wales on **September 13th 1916**
his parents were Norwegian
his father and his elder sister died when he was **three**
he kept a secret diary from the age of **eight**



SCHOOL

he attended Llandaff Cathedral School from **the age of 7 to 9**
he arrived at St Peter's school (an English boarding school) when
he was 9 years old

he wrote to his mother once a week from 1925 until **her death 32 years later**

he started at Repton (famous public school) when **he was 13**

→ He wrote about his childhood and school days in his **autobiography** entitled **BOY**



WAR AND ADVENTURE

he didn't go to university at **18** but joined an expedition to
Newfoundland.

he signed up with the Royal Air Force in Nairobi when **he was 23**
he was transferred to Washington in **1942**

→ Dahl's exploits in the war are detailed in his autobiography entitled **Going Solo**



MASTER OF THE UNEXPECTED : DAHL'S WRITING FOR ADULTS

he concentrated on writing for adults for **the first 15 years of his career**
Many of his **short stories** were televised.



THE WORLD'S FAVOURITE CHILDREN'S AUTHOR

James and the Giant Peach was published in **1961** in the US

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory was published in the US in **1964**

He won the Children's Book Award for *Matilda* in **1988**



THE STORY CONTINUES

He died on **November 23rd 1990**, at the age of **74**

He was working on **three** books.

The sales have continued to grow since **his death**.