

# SHORT STORY SHUFFLE: MONTH FOUR

| WEEK ONE                          |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|--|------------------|--|--|
| Brainstorm 1-2 short story ideas  | Pick the story you'll write this month. | Begin outlining short story |  | Finish outlining | Create daily/weekly word count goal.       | Plan out anything else needed for your story |
| OUTLINING                         |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
| WEEK TWO                          |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
| Begin writing short story         |   |                             |  |                  |  | Read a short story                           |
| WRITING                           |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
| WEEK THREE                        |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
|                                   |   |                             |  | Break day        | Reread Month 1 story - without notes       | Reread Month 1 story - taking notes          |
| WRITING                           |   |                             |  |                  | EDITING                                    |  |
| WEEK FOUR                         |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |
| Begin editing Month 1 short story | Finish editing Month 1 Short Story      | Begin any rewrites          |  | Finish rewrites  | Create action plan for next round of edits | Break day                                    |
| EDITING                           |   |                             |  |                  |  |  |

## THIS MONTH'S PROMPT

Write a short story with no dialogue in third-person.