

Plan and Write a Paragraph

Now it is your turn. Plan first, then write a whole paragraph that starts with a strong topic sentence.

A Pick a topic. Circle one, or write your own on the line.

my favorite place · a game I know well · an animal I would like to be · the best day of the week

My own topic: _____

B List three details you will tell about your topic.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

C Write your topic sentence. Name your topic and tell your main point. Every detail in B should fit under it.

D Write your paragraph. Start with your topic sentence, add your three details, and end with a sentence that wraps it up.

E Check your work.

- ☐ My topic sentence names my topic. ☐ It tells my main point. ☐ All three details fit under it.
- ☐ I did not write “I am going to tell you about ...”