

Writing paragraphs using T.E.E.L. at MCNS



TOPIC SENTENCE - introduce your paragraph with a topic sentence. It tells the reader what the main focus of the paragraph will be. EG. Drink driving is a significant factor in the deaths of many young people on the roads.

EXAMPLE/EVIDENCE - EG. Road crashes cause 80% of all deaths of young people aged 15-29 years. In over 17% of all crashes the driver was over the legal Blood Alcohol Content limit.

EFFECT/EXPLANATION - EG. Of the drink drivers involved in crashes causing deaths or injuries, 38% were aged 25 years or under and 83% of those were males.

LINK (back to the topic or question) - EG. If young people, particularly males, avoided drink driving there would be less deaths on the roads each year.