

PSRIP Foundation Phase COVID-19 MESSAGING

Writing a paragraph

A paragraph is a group of sentences that are all about the same topic. It has three important parts:

- A **topic sentence** which tells us the main point of the paragraph
- **Supporting sentences** which explain the topic sentence and
- A **concluding sentence** which ends the paragraph.

Steps to paragraph writing

Write an outline/frame of the paragraph.

Write the topic sentence.

Write the supporting sentences.

Write a concluding sentence.

Read, edit, rewrite, and share the final paragraph.

Refer to Week 1 & 2 of Term 3 Lesson Plans provided on the NECT Website.

“Behind every young child who believes in himself is a parent who believed first” – Matthew Jacobson.

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