

Activity 5

Look at the sentences below and decide which are (i) topic sentences, (ii) supporting ideas and (iii) examples. Then decide which sentences belong in the same paragraph and rewrite the sentences as full paragraphs.

- a In Australia, for example, some people in remote areas still have limited access to medical facilities, and money should be spent on this rather than on space exploration.
- b It is very social at an office.
- c This is particularly important in senior years when students are preparing for university entrance.
- d Girls should be working on their studies rather than deciding which boy they like or whom they want to date, for instance.
- e Research into space exploration is very expensive.
- f For example, many companies have staff parties and other activities for people to talk and make friends.
- g By spending millions of dollars on space research, governments are not using extra funds to help improve the lives of their citizens.
- h Firstly, in single-sex schools, girls can focus solely on their academic tasks without being distracted by boys.
- i Although many people think that it is better to work at home rather than go to an office, it can be quite lonely.

Paragraph 1	
Paragraph 2	
Paragraph 3	