

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Tell me three things you did over the weekend. It doesn't just have to be the fun stuff. You can talk about chores or errands you ran with your family too. Be sure to include a topic sentence, three details and a conclusion. Use the graphic organizer provided and reference the guide below to help you get started.**

<b>Topic Sentence:</b>
<b>Detail 1:</b>
<b>Detail 2:</b>
<b>Detail 3:</b>
<b>Conclusion:</b>

## Examples of Sentence Starters for Expository Writing

Use the sentence starters below to help you write a clear and concise 5- Sentence Paragraph

<b>You can start your Topic Sentence like this</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Can you guess three things...</li><li>• Would you like to know three things...?</li><li>• Today I am going to tell you...</li><li>• Let's talk about...</li><li>• Let me tell you about what I would</li></ul>
<b>You can start your sentence for reason/fact/detail 1 like this.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• One reason</li><li>• First, I like....</li><li>• First of all</li><li>• To start...</li><li>• To start I would....</li></ul>
<b>You can start your sentence for reason/fact/detail 2 like this.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Additionally,</li><li>• Second,</li><li>• Furthermore,</li><li>• I also</li></ul>
<b>You can start your sentence for reason/fact/detail 3 like this:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Finally,</li><li>• Lastly,</li><li>• Most important,</li><li>• I also</li><li>• Third,</li></ul>
<b>You can start your conclusion like this:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Now you know the three...</li><li>• I hope you enjoyed reading about...</li><li>• Although there are many great _____ these are what I would....?</li><li>• I hope you enjoyed reading about...</li><li>• What would you....?</li><li>• What is your favorite</li></ul>