

## Grade 6 Parts of a Paragraph Assessment

1. Match the parts of the paragraph on the left to the correct definition on the right.

**Topic Sentence**

Gives details to support and explain the main idea.

**Supporting Sentences**

Wraps up the paragraph; refers to/repeats the main idea.

**Closing Sentence**

Tells the main idea and/or what the paragraph is mainly about.

2. Order the following sentences with the correct parts of the paragraph below.

These worms, like all other worms, are classified as invertebrates.

Earthworms help to fertilize the soil by eating dead plants and excreting nutrients that make the soil rich and moist.

Earthworms are a gardener's best friend.

These wiggly little critters are appreciated and welcomed by gardeners everywhere.

They are further classified as segmented worms because of the segments on their bodies.

