

D. Now that you know everything about the paragraph kingdom, let's see if the paragraph given was a good one!

We already know the title and the attention grabber! Please, write them down in the outline for the basic paragraph given in Task 1.C.

What is the topic sentence? Let's look at the TIP, discuss and find out together!



TIP

The topic sentence is usually the first thing you see in a paragraph. Always try to find the main idea, the controlling idea, something which the whole text will be based upon!

So, the topic sentence is “_____”

Now that we know the topic sentence, let's find the first point and the first supporting sentence and write them in the outline above. To do so, we must answer the question: Why are my youth holidays something I will never forget?

TIP

While you look for information in a text, underline all the things that you think are important. (Your teacher will give you an example.) Try to find linkers and connectors, such as 'To begin with', 'First', 'Then' etc in order to find the points and supporting sentences.



So, now that we have discussed it, what is the first point?

Well done! And what is its supporting sentence? (It always follows the point)

E. Work in pairs and do exactly what we have just done. Find the other two points and the concluding sentence (which is always at the end!) and try to fill in the outline for the basic paragraph given in Task 1.C.

F. Tell the class and let your classmates know what you have written.

Was the paragraph entitled '*My youth holidays: Reborn in the lunar light*' a good one or a bad one? Did it follow the basic paragraph rules? Why? Why not?
