

- 1 Read the thesis statement and the possible sentences from the body paragraphs. Check (✓) one sentence for each that does not relate to the thesis statement.

**Thesis Statement:** Although there are many similarities between how mocap is used to make movies and to make video games, there are important differences.

1 Sentences from body paragraph 1:

- ☐ a. One difference between using mocap for movies and for video games is the way characters interact with viewers.
- ☐ b. In video games, on the other hand, the viewer controls one of the character's movements.
- ☐ c. Designers are paid a lot of money to create animation.

2 Sentences from body paragraph 2:

- ☐ a. Another difference is the environments that characters "live" in.
- ☐ b. Scenes in older TV programs often showed only one side of a room.
- ☐ c. Unlike movies, video game backgrounds allow the viewer to see in every direction.

3 Sentences from body paragraph 3:

- ☐ a. The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences now recognizes the importance of animated movies.
- ☐ b. A third difference between animation for movies and for video games is the use of sound.
- ☐ c. Characters in these movies speak to each other more often than they do in video games.

- 2 Read the thesis statement and the three possible concluding paragraphs for the essay. Answer the questions.

**Thesis Statement:** Programs that use mocap to train pilots are effective because they give pilots confidence, reduce risk, and help prepare pilots for different weather.

- A In summary, pilots have a variety of skills. They must have good hand-eye coordination, be able to concentrate for long periods of time, and be in good physical shape. Without these special skills, a pilot will not be very successful.
- B Mocap training programs help pilots gain confidence, provide practice without risk, and allow pilots to gain experience with different kinds of weather. These training programs are extremely useful, and more airlines will likely use them in the future. As technology improves, the programs will become more realistic, too.
- C Because mocap training programs are so effective, more flight schools should use them. They are clearly useful for improving confidence. In addition, they allow pilots to practice safely and give pilots practice flying in different kinds of weather. Airlines should continue to use mocap training for both inexperienced pilots and experienced pilots.

\_\_\_ 1 Which concluding paragraph does not relate to the essay?

\_\_\_ 2 Which concluding paragraph offers a suggestion?

\_\_\_ 3 Which concluding paragraph makes a prediction?