

READING & WRITING WORKSHOP: Review

Vocabulary and expressions

True or False exercise

1. Your heart rate speeds up when you see butterflies.	T F
2. Our body produces chemicals in stressful situations.	T F
3. Flies are not beautiful insects.	T F
4. If you see a rattlesnake , you should keep still .	T F
5. Some scientists observe the behavior of animals for research purposes.	T F
6. The portrait of Mona Lisa doesn't have eyebrows .	T F
7. Edvard Munch's most famous painting is a landscape .	T F
8. The expression ' show your true colors ' implies something bad about the person it refers to.	T F
9. Dogs make noise when they bark .	T F
10. When somebody is good at gardening, we say that they have a green thumb .	T F
11. ' It's just a shower ' means that a hurricane is coming.	T F
12. ' It's pouring down ' is a synonym of ' it's drizzling '.	T F

Developing writing skills

Complete the following phrases with words from the box.

synonyms	vocabulary	introductory	short	concluding
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When carrying out a writing task,

1. ... we should try to use _____. We should avoid using the same word twice.
2. ... we should write an _____ sentence to make the audience feel interested in reading our work.
3. ... we should write a _____ sentence.
4. ... we should write _____ sentences. We should avoid using many commas in one sentence.
5. ... we should try to use _____ and the idioms that we learn in class.