

What is a summary sentence? Choose the answer(s) that describe a summary sentence /Thesis Statement by writing "yes" or "no":

- _____ 1. focuses and directs the essay
- _____ 2. is only a question: "Is English hard to learn?" "Are animals the same as humans?"
- _____ 3. includes the topic and your attitude or opinion about it
- _____ 4. announces itself: "I'm going to talk about ..."
- _____ 5. includes personal examples with "I think ..." or "I believe..."
- _____ 6. is one sentence

Which sentence is the best summary sentence for *Sensing Danger* on R&W p.77?

Write "yes" or "no" to answer:

- _____ 1. I think that animals have amazing talents and should be protected by all countries.
- _____ 2. Researchers are unable to explain why animals may be able to sense danger. Likewise, they believe that specific animals can forecast natural events effectively.
- _____ 3. Although researchers are unable to explain why animals may be able to sense danger, they believe that specific animals can forecast natural events effectively.
- _____ 4. Animals have a sixth sense that was directly connected to the disappearance of an ancient city.