

## Cut 'n' Paste Scrambled Paragraph Freebie

<p><b>Directions:</b> Cut out the parts of the paragraph. Sort the strips so they form a logical, organized <i>Nuts and Bolts</i> Paragraph. Glue each part of the paragraph into the correct location on the answer sheet.</p>	 <p>First, I made flyers describing my service and prices.</p>
<p>Last summer I started a dog-washing business.</p>	<p><b>My Own Business</b></p>
<p>I've been in business almost a year and I'm busier than ever.</p>	<p>Skipper's owner thought I did such a great job that he told all his friends.</p>
<p>Every Saturday, I have about seven dog-washing appointments.</p>	<p>Mom and I delivered them to all the houses in our neighborhood.</p>
<p>A few days later, my neighbor's collie, Skipper, was my first customer.</p>	<p>I hope to save enough to buy my own pet store, one day!</p>

## Cut 'n' Paste Scrambled Paragraph Answer Sheet



1. **TITLE:** describes the whole paragraph

2. **TOPIC SENTENCE:**

introduces the whole paragraph



3. **FIRST DETAIL:**

first fact or idea stated in a general way

4. **MORE ABOUT THE FIRST DETAIL:**

adds to first detail with more facts + ideas

5. **SECOND DETAIL:**

second fact or idea stated in a general way

6. **MORE ABOUT THE SECOND DETAIL:**

adds to second detail with more facts + ideas

7. **THIRD DETAIL:**

third fact or idea stated in a general way

8. **MORE ABOUT THE THIRD DETAIL:**

adds to third detail with more facts + ideas

9. **CLINCHER:** summarizing sentence

that wraps up the paragraph

**Arrange the jumbled sentences into a paragraph.**

1. I was sleeping in my hotel room when a loud noise woke me.
2. The sky was bright and lots of people were running.
3. I put on some clothes and ran towards the harbour, too.
4. I was on holiday in Barghouti, a small island in the South Pacific.
5. They were all running towards the harbour.
6. I ran to the window.
7. I was lucky that I had been saved.
8. On the day after I arrived, I had a terrible experience.
9. I managed to get on a ship.
10. The ship was just leaving when the lava hit the town.

Type the sentences above in a correct order.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
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8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_

## SCRAMBLED DIALOGUE

PUT THE NUMBERS IN CORRECT BOXES TO SHOW THE ORDER

Two friends meet outside a supermarket.

Shopping. How are things?

Hi Bob. What are you doing here?

I do. Just give me 10 minutes to do my shopping.

Fine. Do you have time for a coffee?

OK. Meet you at Starbucks in 15 minutes.

Yes, I am. Where shall we go?