



SMART JUNIORS 3

Friends, Family, and Relationships

Lesson 22
Writing Skills





An Article on a Certain Topic

If you're required to write an article on a certain topic, the following writing structure might help you.

1

Introduction:

- Start with an attractive beginning.
- Introduce the topic.



2

Main Idea 1
(Topic Sentence + Details)

3

Main Idea 2
(Topic Sentence + Details)

4

Main Idea 3
(Topic Sentence + Details)



5

Conclusion:

- End with a question or a lively final sentence.

Now we're going to listen to the model article. Can you find the five parts?



▶ My Supermom

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Introduction

Read the **Introduction** and answer:

1. How did the writer start his article?
2. What part introduces the main topic?

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2. Are there any details about the topic sentence?

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Conclusion

Read the **Conclusion** and answer.

1. How did the writer end the article?

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WRITING TIPS

Writing Tip 1:

Start with an interesting title and an attractive beginning then introduce the topic.

Writing Tip 2:

Present 3 distinct paragraphs, each with a clear focus.

Writing Tip 3:

Give supporting details for each paragraph.

Writing Tip 4:

End with a question or a lively final statement.

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KEY LANGUAGE

1

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2

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3

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4

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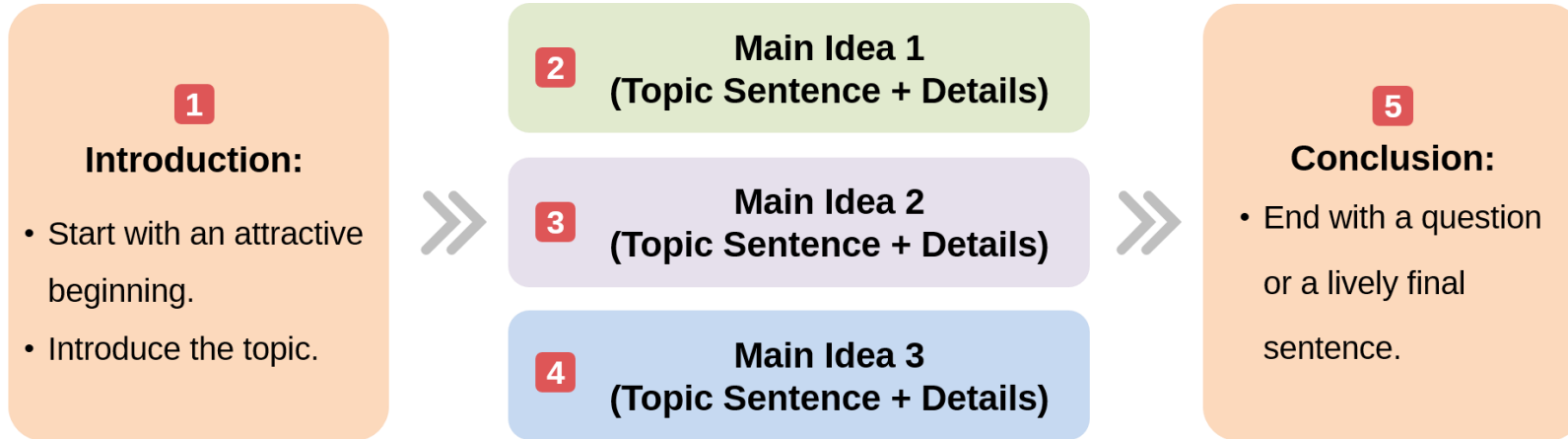
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- Use this structure to write an article on a certain topic.



- Here are some good expressions and linking phrases for article writing.

1 Have you ever...?

2 While..., it is...

3 He/she may be... but...

4 Now, take a moment to think...



WHAT'S NEXT...

In the next lesson, we're going to use the structure we learned today to practice a writing task!

See you next time!