

Paragraph Rubric Details

Paragraph Organization

- 1 = Disorganized passage lacking the paragraph components
- 2 = Few components of a paragraph are written with lesser focus on organization
- 3 = All the components are written in the text with appropriate organization

Quality of Ideas

- 1 = Vague/general/abstract ideas are presented and provide limited information
- 2 = Generally developed ideas; may have some details
- 3 = Ideas are well developed and use specific, relevant details throughout the paragraph

Cohesion

- 1 = No clear link between ideas and sentences
- 2 = Clear link between ideas and sentences is developed with the appropriate use of transitions

Sentence Structure

- 1 = Frequent grammar errors are made in the text, generally has some simple sentences
- 2 = Rare grammatical errors are made in the text, exhibit varied sentence structure

Punctuation

- 1 = Frequent punctuation errors are made in the text/Punctuation marks are not used
- 2 = Rare punctuation errors are made in the text/Inappropriate use of punctuation

Spellings

- 1 = Frequent spelling mistakes with the use of high frequency vocabulary
- 2 = Rare spelling mistakes with the use of low frequency vocabulary

Word Count

- 0 = Less/more words are used than that of described word limit
- 1 = Followed the word limit