

Introduction:

Does the author provide an interesting opening to the topic?

Yes, paper opens with very brief history of knitting and its transition to a past time

Could they improve it? Explain how.

Thesis seems missing or unclear

What is the author teaching?

Underline where you think the thesis is in the paper.

Organization:

How is the information organized?

The information is organized in clear sections with headers

Is it logical? Does it flow well?

Yes, the sections format works well for the variety of information included about knitting

Does it stay on task or is there unneeded information? Explain.

Yes, each the information for each section stays in its on section and does not bleed over into other, unrelated, sections

Support:

Explain specific ways they used facts or information to teach you about their topic.

Defining two types of stitches (knit and perl) followed by definitions of each, then ways they can be used together

Types of different yarn and what they are made out of.

Are there ways to improve this detail and description? Explain.

Not necessarily, and adding extraneous details may muddy and distract from the main point.

Conclusion:

Is there a clear conclusion? Explain.

Conclusion is clear, but doesn't necessarily touch on the main body of the work and rather continuous of from the introduction

General:

Who would you think is the audience for this paper?

People who don't know about knitting

Do you understand all of the terms or ideas in the paper? If no, identify which are unclear.

Yes, terms are clear

What is the best thing about their paper?

Grammar, word choice, and sentence structure are all superb making for easy reading

What are two things they could do to improve their paper? Be specific.

Introduction could use a more solid thesis, and conclusion could tie in better with the main body

Would you attempt the thing being taught after reading this paper? Why or why not?

I would not attempt knitting, but I don't think the paper was meant to be a knitting tutorial but rather an explanation on the various parts that are considered in knitting.