A narrative paragraph is a form of writing that **tells a story** or **recounts a sequence of events.** It typically focuses on a specific <u>incident</u>, <u>experience</u>, or <u>personal anecdote</u> and is often written in the first-person point of view. The purpose of a narrative paragraph is <u>to engage</u> the reader by providing vivid details, descriptive language, and emotional connections to the events being described. Narrative paragraphs can be found in various forms of writing, such as personal narratives, memoirs, and fictional stories. They aim to entertain, inform, or convey a particular message or theme through the use of storytelling techniques.

The five W's and one H (**who, what, where, when, why, and how**) are fundamental journalistic questions that help **provide foundational** information about a topic. They guide the writer in addressing key aspects of the subject matter, such as the people involved, the central idea, the location, the timeframe, the motivations, and the process. By answering these questions, the writer ensures a comprehensive understanding for the reader.

Paragraphs should have a logical order for easy comprehension. Different organizational patterns can be used based on the writer's style, as there is no right or wrong method. Writers can organize information in various ways, ensuring coherence. The following are some commonly used paragraph and essay organizational patterns. Such as the Chronological Order, Reverse Order of Importance, Spatial Order, transitional signals and Paragraph Unity.

In a body paragraph, all sentences should be relevant to the topic sentence and contribute to the main idea. Avoid repetition and ensure specificity rather than being tangentially relevant. Remove any off-topic sentences or relocate them. Additionally, be cautious of padding or veering off onto another topic. During the revision process, carefully assess each sentence's alignment with the topic sentence. If the paragraph is too short, refer to paragraph development techniques to expand ideas.