

Writing

In this section, you will learn how to:

- write a procedural text.

After learning the lesson in this section, you are expected to be able to:

- write a procedural text correctly.

Practice 1

Read the following explanation carefully.

When you want to tell someone how to do something, the first thing you need to do is write down the steps of the process. Then, you should arrange the steps according to time order. When you write your paragraph, you should give/use signal words to guide your reader from one step to the next.

Note

Time-order (signal words)

- First, second, third
- Next
- First of all
- Now
- Then
- Finally
- After that

Practice 2

Read the following procedure carefully.

The Brine Effect

You will need : table salt, a large glass, an egg, a teaspoon, a dessert spoon and water.

How to do it:

1. We half fill the glass with water. Then, using the dessert spoon, we carefully put the egg in water. The egg sinks to the bottom.



2. Now we add 10 tablespoons of salt in water and mix thoroughly to make brine.
3. We put the egg in the water again. The egg floats.



4. We take the egg out and slowly fill the glass totally.
 5. We put in the egg again.
- The egg remains suspended in the centre of the glass.



Do you know why?

In the first stage, the egg was denser than clear water, so it sank. In the second stage, salt water (brine) was denser than clear water, helping the egg to float. Finally, when clear water was added, it floated on the brine, making the egg stay in the middle, as it has more density than clear water, but less than the brine.

Practice 3

Work in pairs. Arrange the jumbled letters by looking at the box that follow.

Let's Make Buttery Garden

1. In order to start, you need to grow some plants from seeds or buy young plants. Wearing a pair of gloves, dig over your chosen patch of earth with a trowel.



2. Next, break up any large clods of earth with a trowel. Then start to take over the top of your plot so that the earth is evenly spread and crumbly.



3. teafr hatt, dig several small slohe for your plants with the trowel. hten, place the plants in the holes and sspre the earth wodn rmly with gloved hands around the sbae of each plant.



4. inlylifa, water your plants well. They will need to be watered regularly. It would be tetber to twaer your plants at kuds.



5. dcorer which butter ies you can see visiting your beautiful owers? Which is the most popular plant?

