

4. How to write in plain language

Break a complex sentence into two

TIP:

Divide the sentence at one of the FANBOYS

- **f**or
- **a**nd
- **n**or
- **b**ut
- **o**r
- **y**et
- **s**o

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- 1** of 13 sentences is very hard to read.
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- 2** weakeners.
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- 1** word with a simpler alternative.

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