

# Lesson 21

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Paragraph Worksheet for **Writing & Speaking**

Paragraphs are groups of sentences that have a single idea. A paragraph typically includes:

Structure of a paragraph

For example:

- Topic Sentence	→ Doctors are great people.
- Supporting Sentences	→ Doctors are people who look after sick people and prescribe medicine so that the patients recover fast.
	→ Doctors' lives are very busy. They get up early in the morning and go to the hospital. They often work without taking a break. They study for a long time to save our lives.
- Concluding Sentence	→ Since doctors work so hard, we must realize their value.

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### TOPIC: What do your parents feel about the music you like?

- Tip:
- What is your favorite kind of music?
  - Is your favorite kind of music liked by your parents as well?
  - Why do your parents feel this way toward your favorite music?
  - Why do you like the music?
  - Do your parents let you listen to the music that you like?

Sample:

- **Topic Sentence:** My favorite kind of music is rap music.
- **Supporting Sentences:** My parents do not like this kind of music. My father likes classical music, and my mother likes ballads. I like rap music because I like the fast beat. It is also easy to follow and sing along because it does not require the ability to hit a very high note. Though I cannot sing very well, I can rap very easily because it does not require a lot of vocal talent. My parents do not like when I listen to rap music because they think it is not real music. However, they do not force me to stop listening to it, so I keep listening to my favorite type of music.
- **Concluding Sentence:** Even though my parents do not like my taste in music, I still like listening to rap because it is catchy and easy to follow.

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Direction - See the sample paragraph on the left page, rewrite it with your opinion  
 - Please record without a manuscript and then submit it to your teacher

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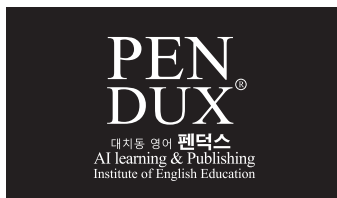
Closing Sentences Even though my parents do not like my taste in music, I still like listening to rap because it is ( ).

## Speaking Report

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Vocabulary & Grammar							
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Possible answer: My parents.....

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Direction -Write with your own ideas and then give a 1-minute speech.

Topic Sentence My favorite...

Supporting Sentences My parents...

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Closing Sentences Even though...

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