

Lesson 21

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Paragraph Worksheet for **Writing & Speaking**

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Structure of a paragraph

1. Topic Sentence
2. Supporting Sentence 1
3. Supporting Sentence 2
4. Supporting Sentence 3
5. Concluding Sentence

For example:

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TOPIC: What is your favorite gift you have received?

- Tip:**
- When did you receive it?
 - Who gave it to you?
 - What is it?
 - What is the use of it?
 - Talk about when, where, and how you use it.
 - Why do you like it the most?

Sample:

- **Topic Sentence:** My favorite gift is the pecan pie that I got this year.
- **Supporting Sentences:** My friend Jamie gave it to me. It did not cost a lot, but it is still my favorite. She and I were going to have lunch together, but I had to change my plan because I was very sick. I had a stomachache. At night, she came to my home. It took half an hour from her home to my home. Then she gave me the pecan pie. I thought it was very nice of her. I was touched. I ate the pecan pie at breakfast and it was delicious.
- **Concluding Sentences:** This is why my favorite gift is the pecan pie that Jamie gave me.

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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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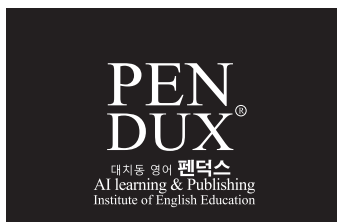
Closing Sentences This is why my favorite gift is the pecan pie that Jamie gave me.

Speaking Report

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Fluency/Speed							
Vocabulary & Grammar							
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Possible answer: I use it.....
- Why do you like it the most?
Possible answer: Because

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

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Supporting Sentences It...

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