

How to write an article

It's a semi-formal/ informal piece of writing make it interesting by including a range of language, e.g. adjectives and adverbs, phrasal verbs, collocations, relative clauses, linkers, one or two idioms.

TITLE

You start with Paragraph 1- **Introduction**

In the introduction you :

- think of a **title** that will catch the reader's attention
- include the topic- you might not know the **reader** personally, but still, you can **address** him/her **directly** (e.g. ask them a question)

Phrases you can use in the introduction:

In the 2nd and 3rd Paragraph you :

- give specific examples to bring your article to life
- use informal language to involve the reader
- don't forget to express your opinion
- be personal

In the last paragraph you :

- finish with a sentence which summarises what you have said
- end with an interesting last sentence
- give your opinion or express your feeling

Phrases you can use:

Have you ever.. You absolutely must ... Can you imagine ... I'm sure you'd agree I must tell you about ... You wouldn't believe.	It's absolutely stunning / terrible (strong adjective). It took my breath away. I will never forget it. There's nothing in the world like it.
For me, / To me.... Personally, I think / find / believe ... It seems to me ... In my view.... One thing I love / remember ... I'll never forget ...	For a start .. Secondly. / Thirdly./ Finally.... And then there's the fact that .. On top of that.... Apart from that.... I must also mention ... As if this wasn't enough, ... Giving examples such as ../.. particularly ../ ..like...