

Text Talkers

- According to the author
- The author states/says
- Brian Simmons states/says
- In the first passage, the author says/states
- On page 5
- According to the text
- In paragraph 2
- Based on information from the text
- The author writes
- According to page 2 of the passage
- From the reading I know
- In the article, "_____" it states



author • passage • paragraph

"I" Paragraph

- Hook
- Restate the Prompt + 3 Reasons
- Concluding Sentence



Elaboration Starters

This means...
This shows...
This demonstrates...
This proves...
For this reason,...
For example,...
Therefore,...
Consequently,...



- Take a deep breath
- Mentally go to your happy place
- Remember our motions
- Believe in yourself
- You've got this!



Pacing 120 total

Prompt 5
Read & mark passages 30-35
Plan 15-20
Write 30-40
Reread, revise, edit 20

Transitions

First
To begin with

Second
In addition

Third
Finally



"R" Paragraph

- Transition + Topic Sentence
- 3A:
- Text Talker + Evidence
 - Elaboration Starter + Elaboration
 - Extra Evidence OR Elaboration
- 3B:
- Text Talker + Evidence
 - Elaboration Starter + Elaboration
 - Extra Evidence OR Elaboration
 - Wrap-Up

"C" Paragraph

- 3 Reasons
- Thought or Feeling
- Leaver

Hooks

Question Hook:

Do you have a favorite place?

Anecdote Hook:

Last summer my mom took me to the best place on earth. Disney World!

Onomatopoeia Hook:

Zip! Zap! Zoom! Those are some of the sounds you might hear as the roller coaster passes you at Disney World.

Startling Statistic:

Over 10 million people visit Disney World each year.

Riddle:

What place has Mickey Mouse and all the rides you can imagine? Disney World!