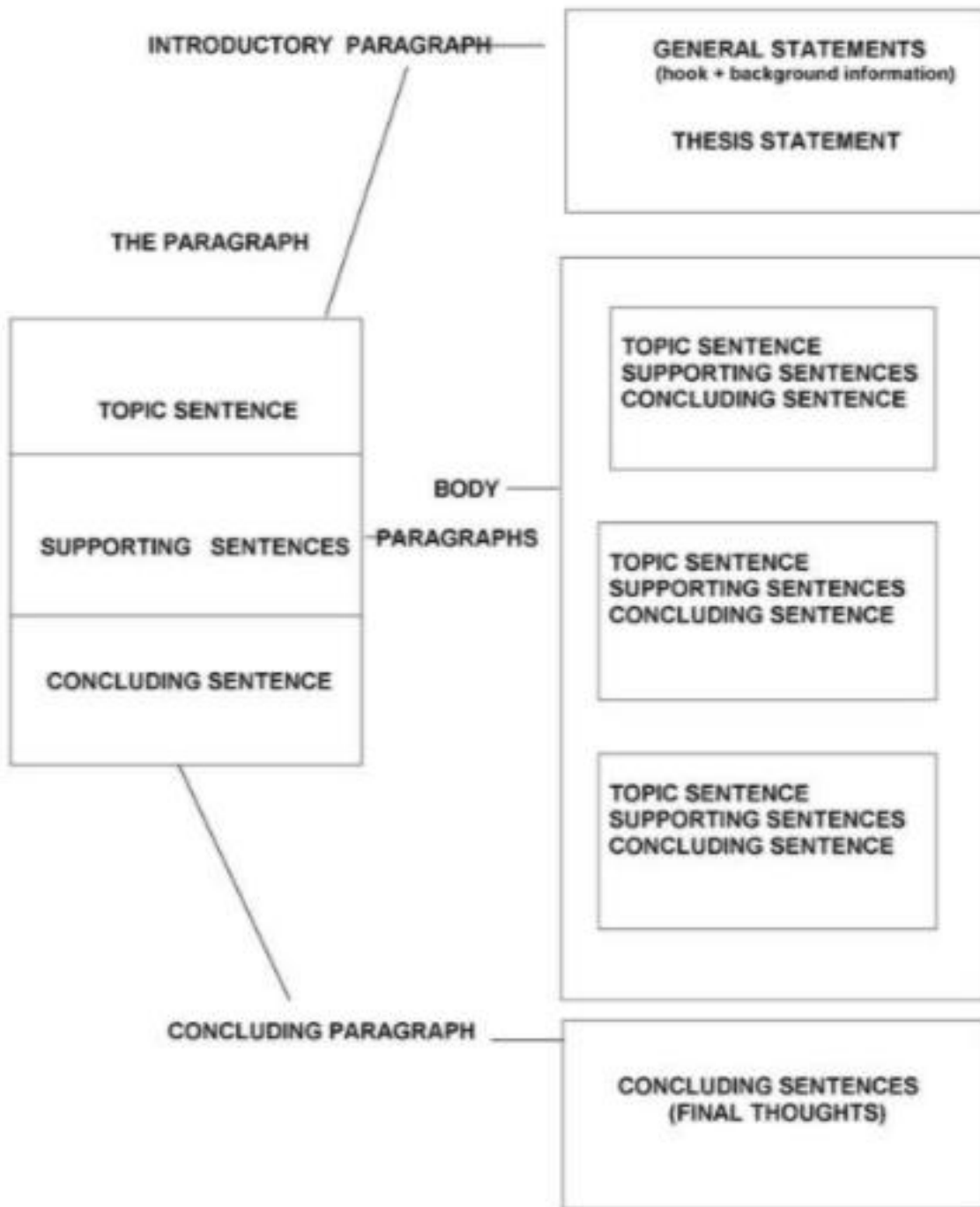


FROM PARAGRAPH TO ESSAY

Purpose or Parts	Paragraph	Essay
Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gets readers interested.• Gives the main idea.	Topic Sentence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hook• Thesis statement
Body <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organises the main points.• Gives supporting information.	Supporting Sentences	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supporting Paragraphs• Topic sentences
Conclusion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Signals the end of the text.	Concluding Sentence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Concluding Paragraph

THE ESSAY



Activity: Read the Paragraph, then the Essay carefully and discuss the numbered sentences.

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THE PARAGRAPH

¹ A good university should have three important characteristics. ²First of all, it must have enough qualified teachers for every course. Qualified teachers should have adequate teaching skills in their subjects and this helps students improve themselves, so good teachers are indispensable for a good university. ³Secondly, a good university must have many buildings with adequate high technology facilities for students. The classrooms must be large enough and well-equipped. In addition, libraries should have enough books and materials for students. ⁴Finally, a good university should have many facilities for students. For example, there must be enough sport centers and cafes for students to spend their free time. ⁵In conclusion, all these characteristics define a good university.

THE ESSAY

It is a common knowledge that education plays an important role in our lives. The utmost level of education is undoubtedly to have a university degree. However, not every university may meet your expectations. In order to state that you are a graduate of a good university, there should be some requirements to be met.

¹In my opinion, a good university should have qualified teachers, technologically adequate buildings and many facilities for students.

² First of all, it must have enough qualified teachers for each course. Qualified teachers should have adequate teaching skills in their subjects. Without adequate teaching skills, it will be difficult for the teacher to transfer his/her knowledge to the students. Also, as a person, the teacher should have proper personalities, that is, a teacher should be kind, supportive and understanding to his/her students. Otherwise, they may be disliked. So, good teachers are indispensable for a good university.

³Secondly, a good university must have many buildings with adequate high technology facilities with students. The classrooms must be large enough and well-equipped. A small classroom or a classroom without technological supplies such as the internet or television will certainly demotivate students. In addition, libraries should have enough books and materials for students. This is very important to do research for students' studies or assignments. All these above considered, technologically developed buildings are necessary for a good university education.

⁴Finally, a good university should have many facilities for students. For example, there must be enough sport centers and cafes for students to spend their time. Since students spend most of their time studying at school, they need a place to rest and chat with their friends.

In addition, students sometimes need to get over their stress spending time in a sport center. Thus, beside academic study, a good university should provide social opportunities to its students.

⁵ In conclusion, universities are places where students spend the most important stage of their lives. Universities should support the learning process with qualified teachers, technologically adequate buildings and many social facilities. Students should become familiar with all these characteristics so that they can choose a good university, which will affect their future.

EXERCISE-1 Analyze the paragraph and the essay:

- 1- Find three main parts of the paragraph: the topic sentence, supporting sentences and the concluding sentence.
- 2- Find three parts of the essay : introductory paragraph, body paragraphs and concluding paragraph
- 3- Underline thesis statement of the essay
- 4- Underline topic sentence and concluding sentences in each body paragraph of the essay.

THE PARAGRAPH

There are many ways to stay healthy. For good health I recommend exercising daily. There are many different forms of exercise one can do. For example, you can go to the gym to lift weights or swim. You can take along walk or ride a bicycle. Eating a good diet is also necessary to stay healthy. A good diet should consist of breads and grain, dairy products, fruits, vegetables and protein. Finally, don't smoke or drink! Both smoking and drinking are bad for your health.

To conclude, three good ways to stay healthy are to exercise every day, eat well, and do not smoke or drink.

THE ESSAY

There goes a saying "Every human being is the author of his own health or disease." To be healthy or not depends on you and if you choose to stay healthy, there are many ways to do so: exercising daily, eating well and not smoking or drinking alcohol.

Firstly, daily exercise is important for good health. There are many different forms of exercise one can do. For example, you can go to gym to lift weights or swim. You can run or jog in your neighborhood. You can take a long walk or ride a bicycle. You do not have to do a lot of exercises. If you are consistent and if you exercise even a little bit every day, you will keep good health.

Next, eating a good diet is necessary to stay healthy. A good diet should consist of bread and grains, dairy products, fruit, vegetables and protein. For instance, a good dinner might consist of pasta with tomato sauce, bread and butter, a fresh salad a pear and a glass of milk. If you eat well at every meal and be sure to include food from the major food groups, you will stay healthy.

Finally, don't smoke or drink! Smoking is very bad for your health. Studies show that

smoking causes cancer. Not only that, smoking can give you bad breath and can ruin your teeth .In addition, drinking alcohol is also bad for your health. Alcohol has only empty calories. It does not benefit your body at all.

To conclude, there are many ways to stay healthy. Three good ways are to exercise every day, eat well and not to smoke or drink alcohol. It is important to maintain your health for a long time.

Paragraph

There are three main characteristics of a proper university. First, it is important for any university to have qualified teachers. They are the backbone of the university and they must be qualified to help students learn efficiently. Secondly, universities must prepare comfortable and well equipped classrooms. Students spend a lot of time in classrooms so it is important to feel comfortable in a large and well equipped classroom especially with technological materials.

Thirdly, universities must provide good facilities for students to spend time out of the classroom. There should be sports centers, libraries and cafes for students to spend their free time. In conclusion, these are the main characteristics of a proper university.

Essay

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