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Say It with Style! (Essay Writing)



Hello, Thoughtful Writers! It's me EeeBee! Today, we're going to master the art of writing essays the smart way to share ideas, explain thoughts, and tell stories!

Essays help you express, inform, or even convince others. Let's explore the different types, learn the structure, and sprinkle in some magic with connectors and examples!

LEARNING OUTCOMES

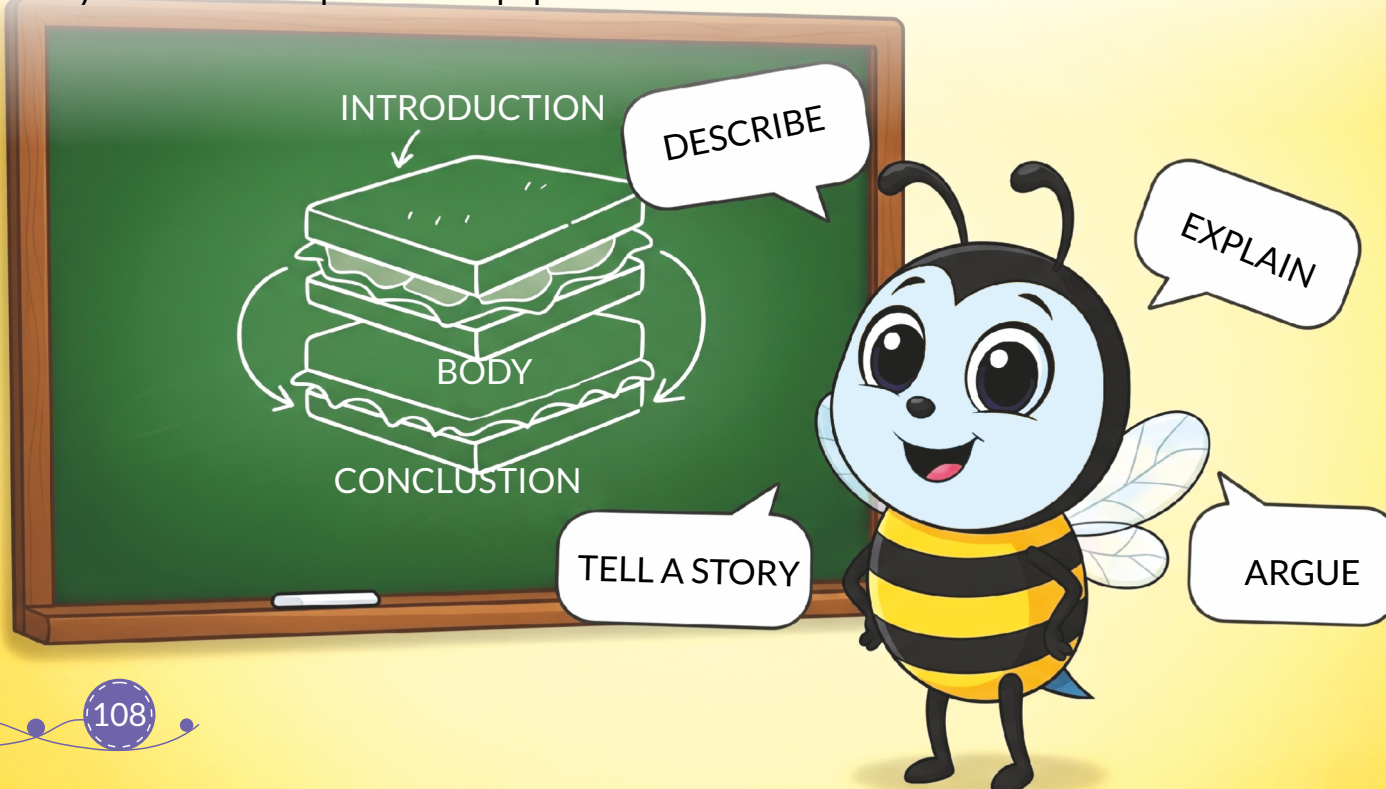


- **Types of Essays:** Descriptive, Narrative, Expository, Argumentative
- **Essay Structure:** Introduction – Body – Conclusion
- **Using Connectors** and giving strong **Examples**

What is an Essay?

An **Essay** is a short piece of writing where the writer presents an idea, explains something, describes an Event or Scene, or Gives an opinion.

Essays are like mini speeches on paper!



Types of Essays

Type	Purpose	Example Topics
Descriptive	Paints a picture using words	"My Favorite Place", "A Rainy Day"
Narrative	Tells a story	"How I Lost My Tooth", "A Day I'll Never Forget"
Expository	Explains or informs	"How Plants Grow", "Why We Celebrate Diwali"
Argumentative	Gives opinion and reasons	"Should Homework Be Banned"?, "Online Learning is Better"

Each type has its own voice but all follow a solid structure.

Structure of an Essay

Introduction

- Starts the essay
- Grabs attention
- States what the essay is about

Body

- The main part (usually 2–3 paragraphs)
- Explains, describes, or supports your points
- Uses facts, events, or examples

Conclusion

- Wraps up the essay
- Summarizes the key idea
- Ends with a thought, feeling, or suggestion

Example Outline:

Topic: My Best Friend

- **Introduction:** Who is my best friend?
- **Body:** What we do together, their qualities, special memories
- **Conclusion:** Why they are important to me

Using Connectors (Linking Words)

Connectors join ideas and help the essay flow smoothly.

Purpose	Connectors
To Add	also, moreover, in addition, besides
To Compare	similarly, just like, likewise
To Contrast	however, but, on the other hand
To Give Examples	for example, such as, for instance
To Conclude	in conclusion, finally, to sum up

Example:

"I love reading. **For example**, I read for an hour every night. **Moreover**, I enjoy discussing books with my friends".

PRACTICE ACTIVITIES – LET'S TRY TOGETHER



Skills/Level
READING & WRITING/A2



A Identify the Essay Type

What type of essay is each of the following?

- "The day I got lost in a fair"
- "The importance of hand washing"
- "A visit to the mountains"
- "Mobile phones are harmful to students"



B Fill in the Connectors

Fill the blanks with suitable linking words:

- I love painting. ____, I enjoy sculpting.
- I studied hard. ____, I scored well.
- Some like winter. ____, others prefer summer.
- The park was clean. ____, it had fresh air and flowers.



C Organise the Essay

Put the following sentences into the correct order of an essay (Intro–Body–Conclusion):

- We play cricket, study together, and share secrets.
- My best friend is Riya.
- Riya is more than a friend she is like a sister.
- She is honest, helpful, and fun-loving.



- D** Complete the essay below by writing appropriate sentences for the missing parts. Use the hints given for each paragraph.

The Importance of Cleanliness

Introduction

Cleanliness is very important in our daily life. It helps us stay healthy and safe.

(Add one more sentence explaining why cleanliness is important in schools or homes)

Body Paragraph 1 – Cleanliness at Home

At home, we should keep all rooms neat and clean.

(Add a sentence about why we should keep our kitchens and bathrooms clean)

We must also throw waste in the dustbin and keep things in their proper place.

Body Paragraph 2 – Cleanliness in School and Community

In schools, we must keep classrooms tidy and not litter.

(Add a sentence explaining how students can help keep the school clean)

We should also keep public places clean and respect our surroundings.

Conclusion

Cleanliness is not just about looks; it keeps us away from diseases.

(Add a sentence about how you will follow cleanliness every day)

We all must promise to keep our surroundings clean and help others do the same.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS - LET'S TALK AND SHARE

A. SPEAKING GAME: SUMMARISE IT IN 3!



Skills/Level
SPEAKING & LISTENING/A2



Choose a topic and give a 1-minute mini essay speech.

Topics:

- My Dream Vacation
- Books vs. Movies
- Why Sports Are Important

Use **Intro – Body – Conclusion** when you speak!

B. LISTENING ACTIVITY:

Your teacher will read a short essay. As you listen, answer:

- What is the Topic?
- What are the 3 main points discussed?
- What Conclusion did the writer give?

ASSESSMENT & REVIEW - HOW WELL DID I LEARN?

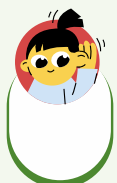


Section	Key Idea
Essay Types	Descriptive, Narrative, Expository, Argumentative
Structure	Introduction, Body, Conclusion
Connectors	Help link ideas smoothly
Examples	Support ideas clearly

SELF-ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST

1. Identify different types of essays
2. Write an essay with a proper structure
3. Use connectors to link sentences
4. Give examples in my writing

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Reading



Writing



Grammar



Vocabulary

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