

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to write an informative paragraph about dogs.

Materials and Prep

- Pen or pencil
- Blank paper
- Access to books or online resources about dogs

Activities

1. Research: Use books or online resources to gather information about dogs. Focus on different breeds, their characteristics, and interesting facts about them.
2. Organize your thoughts: Create an outline with main ideas and supporting details about dogs. Think about the structure of your paragraph.
3. Write your paragraph: Use your outline to write an informative paragraph about dogs. Include an introduction, body with supporting details, and a conclusion.
4. Revise and edit: Read through your paragraph and make any necessary changes to improve clarity, organization, and grammar.
5. Share your work: Read your paragraph aloud to a family member or friend. Listen to their feedback and make revisions if needed.

Fourth Grade Talking Points

- "Dogs are domesticated animals that have been companions to humans for thousands of years."
- "There are many different breeds of dogs, each with its own unique characteristics and traits."
- "Some popular dog breeds include Labrador Retrievers, German Shepherds, and Golden Retrievers."
- "Dogs have a keen sense of smell and are often used for tasks such as search and rescue, therapy, and police work."
- "Dogs communicate through body language, barking, and other vocalizations."
- "Taking care of a dog involves providing food, water, exercise, and love."
- "Writing an informative paragraph about dogs allows us to share our knowledge and educate others about these amazing animals."