

Lesson 13: Quiz 2 - Topic Sentence

Directions: Use the title for *each* list below and write a topic sentence for that list. The first three topic sentences have been done for you.

This essay has a possibility of 3 paragraphs and 3 topic sentences.

1. Topic sentence: July 4th is a *government holiday*.
2. Topic sentence: This *holiday* has many *special characteristics*.
3. Topic sentence: This *celebration* is a lot of *fun*.

<u>Government Holiday</u>	<u>Characteristics of Holiday</u>	<u>Fun/Celebration</u>
Special celebration	Speeches	Barbeques
Independence	Parades	Parties
July 4	Flags	Fun with family and friends
Holiday	Fireworks	



Did you notice how the title became part of the topic sentence? Now you try it!

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1. Topic: Entertainment Concerns

Possible Grouping and Titles:

Problem	Influences	Who is Concerned
Crime	Video games	Doctors
Violence	Television	Family
Children	Internet	Parents
Harm	Cartoons	Teachers
Influence	Music	Movies

Possible topic sentences:

1. Violence affecting children is a problem.
2. There are many media influences that can cause this problem.
3. Many people are concerned about this situation.

This essay has the possibility of 3 possible paragraphs and 3 topic sentences. Be sure to label each topic sentence.

Your topic sentences: