

# A Paragraph is like a Hamburger

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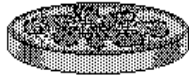
## Topic Sentence or Lead

The topic sentence tells your reader what the main idea of the paragraph will be. You want to "grab" the attention of the reader, but do not give specific details yet.

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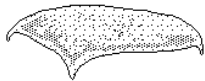
## Supporting Detail #1

You want to select details that help to explain more about your main idea.

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## Supporting Detail #2

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## Supporting Detail #3

You want to select details that help to explain more about your main idea.

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## Closing Sentence or Conclusion

In your closing sentence you want to try and restate the main idea using a different choice of words.

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