

# Peer Editing Form 5

Reader: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the topic of the paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Does the paragraph have a topic sentence with a clear controlling idea?  Yes  No

If no, suggest a better one: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Do all sentences in the paragraph relate to the topic sentence?  Yes  No

If no, write any sentence that does not belong (or mark all on the paragraph).

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4. Do all verbs agree with their subjects?  Yes  No

If no, mark any that are incorrect in the paragraph.

5. Does the paragraph have a concluding sentence that restates the topic, offers a suggestion, gives an opinion, or makes a prediction about it?  Yes  No

Write it or suggest a better one. \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Does the paragraph have a strong title?  Yes  No

Write it or suggest a better one. \_\_\_\_\_

7. Do all pronouns refer to nouns correctly?  Yes  No

If no, circle ones that you question.

8. Are there any fragments, run-ons, or comma splices?  Yes  No

If yes, underline and mark them with FR, RO, or CS to indicate the error.

9. What do you like best about this paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

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10. What could the writer do to improve the paragraph? \_\_\_\_\_

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