## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Summary of an Informative Text



Lesson 1 Quick Review ×
Complete the sentences with the concepts listed below.
A is a short version of a text that restates the central idea and main ideas.
Informative genres have different because they have different purposes.
A narrative plot structure includes a beginning, rising action,, falling action, and end.
climax summary of informative text organizational structures
Which of the following does NOT serve the purpose of Summary Writing?
A. O It condenses the information for the reader.  B. O It provides the reader with extensive detail.  C. O It is a skill that is needed for school and career.
Summary writing needs to follow the structure used by the author.
○ True ○ False
Which organizational structure presents events starting with the earliest and follows the order in which they occurred?
A. O Classification B. O Chronological C. O Compare/Contrast
Answers: Summary of Informative Text, Organizational Structures, Climax, B, True, B
Lesson 2 Quick Review
Complete the sentences with the concepts listed below.
The term used that refers to using your own words to avoid copying the words of someone else is called
Effective summaries provide readers with the
Effective summaries omit, or leave out, even if they are interesting.
main ideas trivial details paraphrasing
Which is NOT one of the 4 R's of Paraphrasing?  A. O Realize some words/phrases cannot be changed  B. O Rethink what the author really meant to say

Answers: Paraphrasing, Main idea, Trivial Details, B

C. O Recheck to convey the same meaning

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Lesson 3 Quick Review	
Why is it important to include only the main ideas in a summary?	
<ul> <li>A. O Many readers today have a short attention span.</li> <li>B. O A summary should be shorter and to the point.</li> <li>C. O It is difficult to remember the details.</li> </ul>	
A conclusion is the last part that brings closure to a written piece.	
○ True ○ False	
Identify the Concluding Strategy: I had to reexamine my opinion of country music. Listening to the best artists and opening my mind helped me to appreciate this music genre.	
A. Open Strategy  B. Quotation Strategy  C. Reflective Strategy	
Identify the Concluding Strategy: My position on the topic remains undecided because all studies that were reviewed had inconclusive results.	
A. O Reflective Strategy  B. O Strong Statement Strategy  C. O Open Strategy	
Answer: B, True, C, C	
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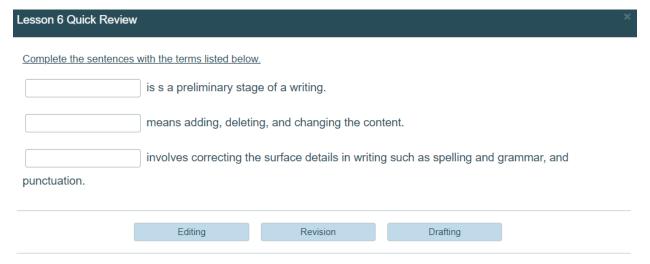
Answers: True, True, B, B, True

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Lesson 5 Quick Review	
	Identify the transition strategy represented by adding the words "Over ten thousand years ago," to "humans acquired their food by hunting and gathering."
	A. O Compare
	B. O Cause
	C. O Sequence/Time
	Identify the varied sentence beginning represented: "Before class, Alex checked his homework."
	A. O Pronoun
	B. O Appositive
	C. O Prepositional phrase

#### Answers: C, C



Asking a peer for input is NOT appropriate to the editing process.

A. O True

B. O False

Answers: Drafting, Revision, Editing, False