

WRITE SOURCE

Report Writing

LESSON 56

Writing a Report
Write

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Prewrite

Write

Revise

Edit

Publish

★ CHOOSE the topic

Choose the topic you're familiar with.

★ READ about the topic

Read books about your topic, or you can also use different ways to find more information.

★ ANSWER a gathering grid

Answer the questions on the gathering grid with simple words or phrases.

Review

Where were we last time?

Prewrite

In our last lesson, Robin made a gathering grid and answer the questions in it.
Now he is going to write his draft.



Gathering Grid

Topic: Leafy Sea Dragon

1. What does the animal look like?

sea horse
green and yellow
leaves

2. Where does it live?

kelp forests
ocean
Australia

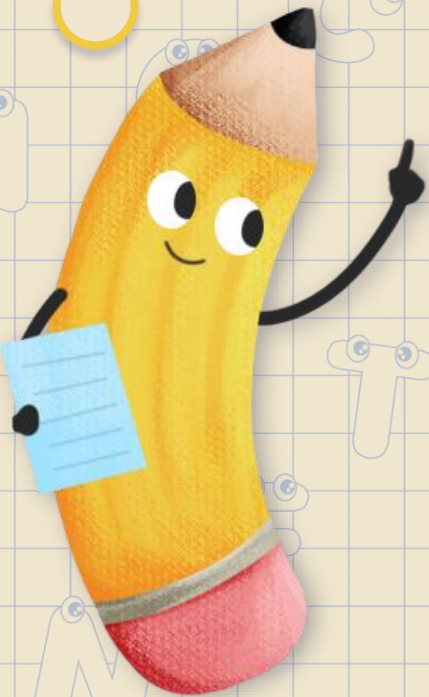
3. What does it eat?

tiny shrimp
small fish
uses mouth like a straw

4. What are other interesting facts?

father takes care of the baby's
pouch on his body

Today we'll learn ...



The Writing Process of a Report: Write

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Let's Learn

How do we start to write?

First, we need to write a beginning sentence to introduce the topic.



The leafy sea dragon is unusual.

Can you think of another beginning sentence?

Let's Learn

The leafy sea dragon is unusual. It looks
like...

Next, use the gathering grid to help you! Answer the first question.

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Let's Learn

The leafy sea dragon is unusual. It looks like green and yellow leaves.

It lives in...

Let's go on!
Answer the second question.

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Let's Learn

The leafy sea dragon is unusual. It looks like green and yellow leaves.

It lives in the ocean by Australia it hides in kelp forests.

The sea dragon eats...

Keep doing it!
Answer the third question.

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Let's Learn

The leafy sea dragon is unusual. It looks like green and yellow leaves.

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The sea dragon eats tiny shrimp and small fish. It uses its mouth like a straw.

The father sea dragon...

We're almost done!
Answer the last question.

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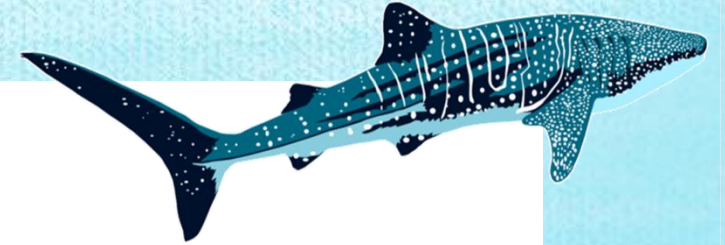
The father sea dragon takes care of the babies. He keeps them in a pouch.

Look! In this way I finish my first draft!



Let's Do

Review your gathering grid.



Find the screenshot of the gathering grid you finished last lesson.



Gathering Grid

Topic: Whale Shark

1. What does the animal look like?

2. Where does it live?

3. What does it eat?

4. What are other interesting facts?

Let's Do

Finish your first draft.



Take a picture of it
for the next class.

1. Introduce your topic
in the first sentence.

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2. Answer the
first question.

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3. Answer the
second question.

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4. Answer the
third question.

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5. Answer the
last question.

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Write a beginning.

Answer your gathering grid.

Introduce your topic in the first sentence.

| Gathering Grid | |
|---|---|
| Topic: <u>Leafy Sea Dragon</u> | |
| 1. What does the animal look like? sea horse green and yellow leaves | 2. Where does it live? kelp forests ocean Australia |
| 3. What does it eat? tiny shrimp small fish uses mouth like a straw | 4. What are other interesting facts? father takes care of the babys pouch on his body |

Answer the four questions in order. Use one paragraph to answer one question.