

the parts of a persuasive letter.

what makes a good persuasive letter.

## Lead-in

# Which one is a letter?



January 12, 2012

My grandpa took me to the community garden. It contains rows and rows of healthy plants.

Grandpa showed me leaf
lettuce, snap peas, and sweet
corn. Then he showed me how to
pull weeds without pulling the
vegetables.

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yogurt. Guess what? They taste good!

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Best of all, they can keep us healthy.

I think we all should eat many more healthy snacks.

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Love, Alice

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# What is Alice trying to tell her Mom and Dad in this letter?



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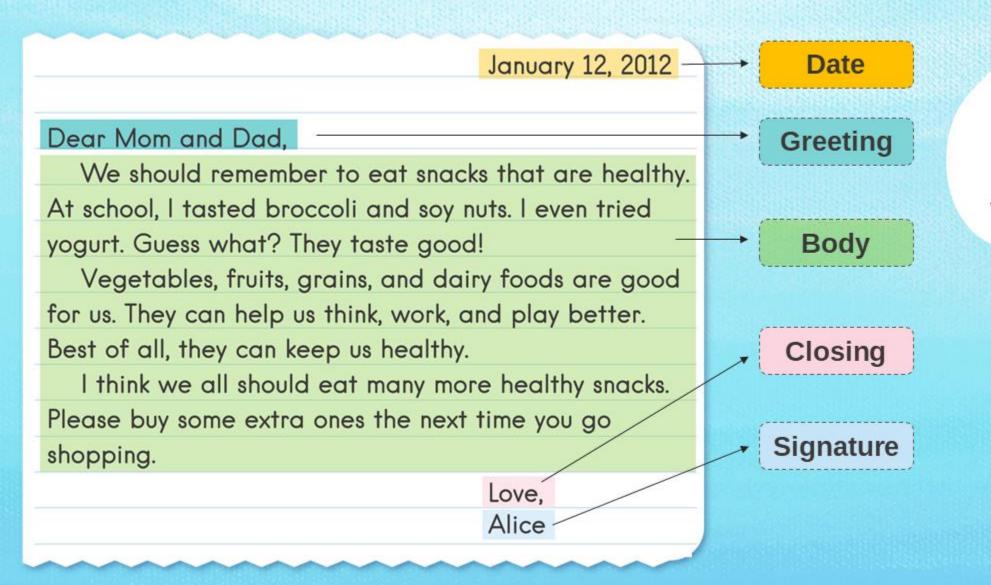
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A letter that makes others accept your opinion and appeals to them to take action is called a persuasive letter.

# Know the parts of a persuasive letter.



There are five different parts of a letter. Do you know them?



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#### Date

#### Greeting

It's a polite way of saying "Hi."

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Love, Alice It tells \_\_\_\_\_

- A when you wrote the letter
- B where you wrote the letter
- c whom you wrote the letter to

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Love, Alice Body

This is \_\_\_\_\_

- A the beginning of a letter
- B the main part of a letter
- c the ending of a letter

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#### Think and match.

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- 4 Love,
- 5 Alice

the main part of a letter

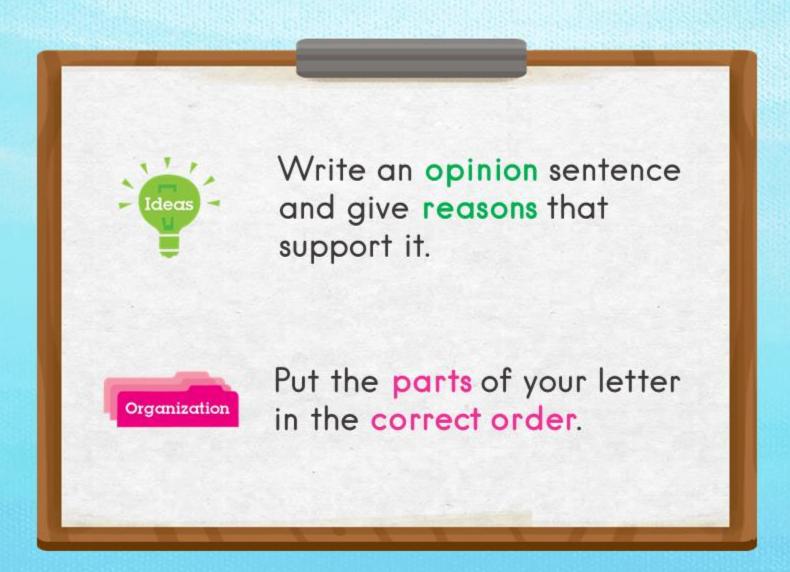
a polite way of saying "goodbye."

the signature of the writer at the end of a letter

a polite way of saying, "hi."

when you wrote the letter

# What makes a good persuasive letter?





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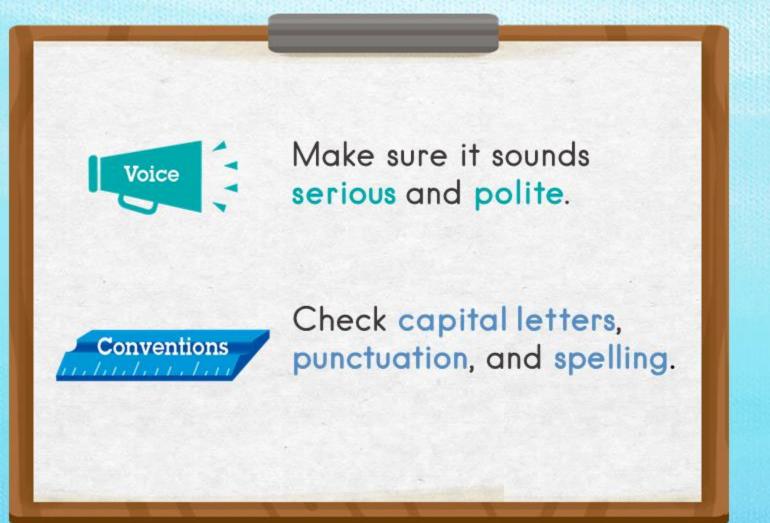
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shopping.

Love, Alice What are the opinion and reasons in this letter?

From date to signature, are all the parts in the correct order?

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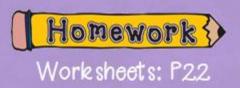
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Do you think Alice was polite in her letter? Where can you tell?

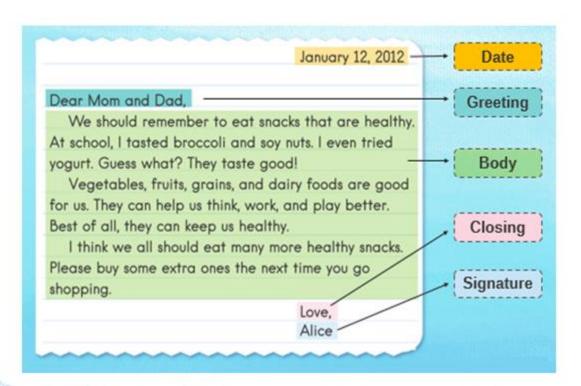
Are there any mistakes in the letter?

# Wrap-up



A persuasive letter is to make others accept your opinion and even take action.

#### The five parts of a persuasive letter



#### What makes a good narrative essay:

