PENNSYLVANIA ENGLISH 12 · UNIT 3 · 10 QUESTIONS

Writing and Communication — Practice Test

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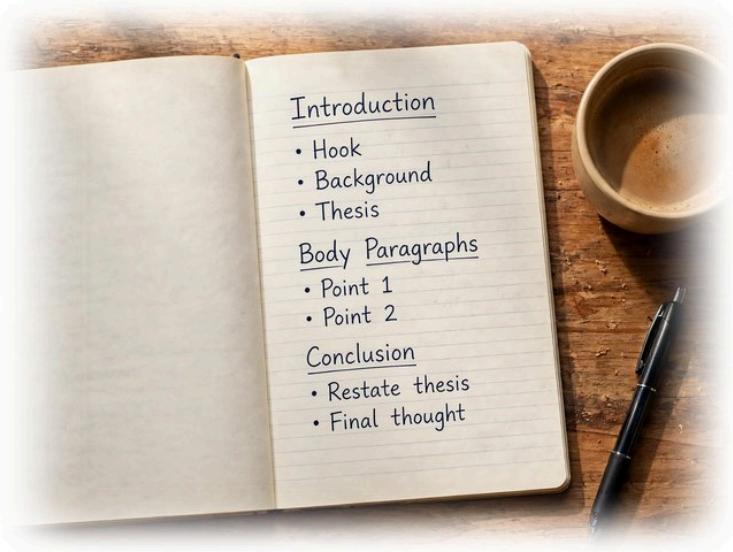
1 **A narrative essay mainly aims to**



A. tell a story with a point

B. list facts without a story

C. argue a policy

D. summarize research

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2 **Which is a run on sentence?**

A She ran, and he walked.

B She ran to school.

C She ran he walked to school quickly.

D Running to school, she waved.

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3 **Which revision best fixes a vague sentence: The thing was good?**

A Good things happened.

B The thing was really good.

C It was a thing.

D The new library program increased student visits and reading time.

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4 **A writer should cite a source when**

A using common knowledge only

B using another person's specific idea, data, or wording

C writing an opinion

D using their own experience

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5 **Which sentence uses a colon correctly?**

A The team needs three things: balls, nets, and cones.

B The team needs: balls, nets, and cones.

C The team: needs balls.

D The: team needs balls.

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6 **A speech has 4 main points and the speaker spends 2 minutes on each point. How many minutes do the main points take in total?**



ANSWER

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7 **Active voice is shown in**

A The ball was kicked by Sara.

B The ball was kicked.

C Sara kicked the ball.

D Kicking was done.

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8 **Which is the best title for an essay arguing for later school starts?**

A School

B Sleep Is Nice

C My Day

D Let Teens Sleep: The Case for Later School Starts

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9 **A writer who anticipates an objection and answers it is using**

- A a counterargument
- B a summary
- C a quotation
- D a title

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10 **Which paragraph order is most logical for a persuasive essay?**

- A conclusion, body, introduction
- B introduction, body evidence, counterargument and reply, conclusion
- C body, conclusion, introduction
- D introduction, conclusion, body

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ANSWER KEY

1. A
2. C
3. D
4. B
5. A
6. 8
7. C
8. D
9. A
10. B

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