WRITING AN AWESOME PARAGRAPH: **A.C.P.E.E.**

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ANSWER: TOPIC SENTENCE

TRY TO ANSWER AT LEAST TWO OF THE THREE QUESTIONS IN YOUR TOPIC SENTENCE:

*🞎 WHAT DOES THE ARTICLE DO? 🞎 HOW DOES THE ARTICLE DO IT? 🞎 WHY DOES THE ARTICLE DO IT?*

**SENTENCE STARTERS:**

“IN ORDER TO…” / “BY [DOING WHAT?]…” / “[ARTICLE NAME] RELIES ON…”

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CONTEXT: lead-in to the textual evidence you are about to use

**SENTENCE STARTERS:**

“ACCORDING TO [“ARTICLE TITLE”]…” / “[ARTICLE TITLE] DISCUSSES HOW…”

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PROOF: EVIDENCE / THE QUOTES YOU WILL USE TO DEFEND YOUR CLAIM

EMBED YOUR QUOTES IN ORDER TO KEEP THEM DOWN TO 6-7 WORDS.

**Sentence starters: \*(YOU WILL REMOVE THIS SENTENCE STARTER ONCE YOU FINISH WRITING)**

“It specifically mentions how/that...” / “One point that struck me was when/how...”

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EXPLAIN: WHY IS THIS QUOTE important TO YOUR ARGUMENT?

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THIS IS IMPORTANT BECAUSE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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ECHO: How did you prove/argue your claim based on the

evidence you used? (Answer this question by using THE sentence starter)

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"I SHOWED HOW \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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