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The first sentence of a paragraph is called the topic sentence. The topic sentence should give the reader a clear idea of what the paragraph is about. The last sentence is called the conclusion, and is a restatement of the topic sentence. Between the topic sentence and the conclusion are supporting details. Details prove, explain or support the topic sentence.

DIRECTIONS: Pretend that you are running for President of your class. Choose one of the topic sentences provided. Then fill in the blanks with details to support it. Write your conclusion.

TOPIC SENTENCE: I am the most qualified candidate for class president.

TOPIC SENTENCE: If you elect me class president, I will improve the classroom experience for everyone.

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B

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D

E

WRITE A CONCLUDING SENTENCE:
