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Editorial paragraphs express the author's feelings about a subject. The topic sentence should be supported with reasons and evidence.

1. Choose a topic about which you have strong feelings.
2. Write a topic sentence that clearly lays out your opinion.
3. List reasons and facts to support your assertion. Make your strongest reason or fact #1, your next strongest #2, etc., until all your supporting sentences have a number.

MY TOPIC: _____

REASON OR FACT: _____

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ANSWERS WILL VARY