 TEEEC paragraphs

We use a TEEEC scaffold for writing paragraphs to enhance our writing, and make it sound more sophisticated. It is important to give all the right information in a paragraph, in the correct order. Follow this scaffold for a successful paragraph:

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| Letter | Type | Description  |
| T | Topic Sentence  | Your first sentence introduces the TOPIC you will be writing about in a paragraph.   |
| E | Expand  | The second sentence EXPANDS upon the topic, giving more information.   |
| E | Example  | This sentence provides an EXAMPLE of the topic you are writing about in this paragraph.   |
| E | Explain  | This sentence EXPLAINS what you are writing about. When you explain something you may use terms such as: … this may result in; … as a consequence; … therefore;  |
| C | Connect  | This last sentence CONNECTS back to the topic introduced in the first sentence.   |

Have a go at writing a TEEEC paragraph as a class or by yourself. Remember not to leave any sentence out. Highlight them at the end in the correlating colours to make sure you have them all.

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