

# Bold Beginnings

## Use a Single Word

Then provide more information

Ex: *POPCORN! POPCORN IS YUMMY*

## Describe a Sound

Then tell where it came from

Ex: *POP! POP! POP! The popcorn maker was shooting out kernels all over the place!*

## Interesting Fact

Ex: *The first popcorn machine was invented over 100 years ago.*

## Share an Opinion

Then tell why you believe it.

Ex: *I think that popcorn tastes best with butter and salt on it. It melts in my mouth.*

## Ask a Question

Then provide the answer

Did you know that people have been eating popcorn for over 5,000 years?

# Mighty Middles

First

Ex: First, my friends came over and we played some fun games

Next

Ex: Next, my friends sang "Happy Birthday" to me, and we ate some cake

Then

Ex: Then, I got to open presents. I got a really cool robot toy.

After that

Ex: After that, we played with my toys. We also played outside for a while.

Finally

Ex: Finally, I gave my friends their treat bags and their parents came to pick them up. It was the best birthday party ever!

# Excellent Endings

## A Surprising Ending

Ex: The day was finally over. I jumped into bed and... EWWW! There was something slimy in it!

## A Wise Thought

Ex: After being lost for hours, I decided that I would never walk away from my mom again!

## A Question

Ex: Finally, our adventure was over. "Do you think we should do it again?" he asked.

## A Sign of What's to Come

Ex: When the fog finally cleared, I could see a strange man standing there. Our adventure was just beginning.

## A Laugh

Ex: As the sun was setting, we curled up by the warm fire. It was a beautiful night ... when suddenly, Jonah let out a huge BUURRRRP!