

Four Square

This will help organize your thoughts for you writing assignment. Think of it as a map for your words and ideas so they don't get lost on the way from your head to the paper! In each of the squares, write words or phrases that connect with the main idea for each box. Save your sentence writing for later.

P1 Introduction—should introduce the prompt. What is the book about? What is the setting? Who is/are the main character/s ?

STATEMENT:

Support your statement with **F.R.I.E.S.S.**

(facts, reason, incident, example, statistics, sensory details)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Conclusion—elaborate about one specific detail that helps you transition to the next paragraph.

TRANSITION SENTENCE:

P2 Your opening sentence should relate to the transition form P1 and connect to the first question from the prompt.

STATEMENT:

Support your statement with **F.R.I.E.S.S.**

(facts, reason, incident, example, statistics, sensory details)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Conclusion—elaborate about one specific detail that helps you transition to the next paragraph.

TRANSITION SENTENCE:

P3 Your opening sentence should relate to the transition from P2 and connect to the second question from the prompt.

STATEMENT:

Support your statement with **F.R.I.E.S.S.**

(facts, reason, incident, example, statistics, sensory details)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Conclusion—elaborate about one specific detail that helps you transition to the next paragraph.

TRANSITION SENTENCE:

P4 Your opening sentence should relate to the transition from P3 and connect to the third and final question from the prompt.

STATEMENT:

Support your statement with **F.R.I.E.S.S.**

(facts, reason, incident, example, statistics, sensory details)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Conclusion—Adding your opinion or restating the main idea of the prompt is a good way to wrap it up..
