

Wednesday's ELA Work - Editing and Revising

After you've written your rough draft, read through the editing & revising handouts - on my website.

Using R.A.D.R → make changes to your rough draft.

* Use google to help with spelling and finding synonyms for repetitive words

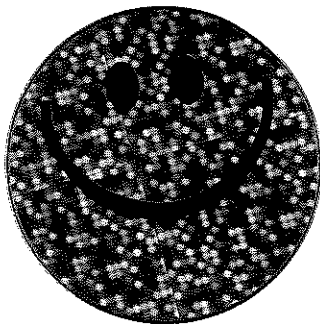
* Add transitional words/phrases (google transitional words and phrases)

* Ask a parent or older sibling to read your rough draft and see if they have suggestions.

Tomorrow, you will send me 2 copies of your:

- 1) SEXY graphic organizer
- 2) rough draft with editing
- 3) good copy.

Email me or text on Remind if you have any questions and/or need support.



Keep scrolling to see my sample.



★ WEDNESDAY'S EDITING/REVISIONS

TUESDAY'S ELA WORK - SAMPLE SAMPLE 1/3

ROUGH DRAFT USING RAFT

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★ For today's step, I'm taking what I wrote in yesterday's graphic organizer and developing my paragraph rough draft.

★ It is useful to double space your rough draft so that it is easier to revise and edit.

If I found a \$20 bill on the floor of a store, I would try to find the owner. The reasons behind my opinion are guided by my sense of what is right, my belief in karma and the memory of a similar situation that ^{occurred} ~~happened~~ to me years

^{transition} ago. First off, I believe that people need to try to do what is right, regardless of the situation.

This can be described as ^{behaving ethically.} ethical behaviour. I believe that finding the owner is the right thing to do because, simply put, the money is not mine. I didn't

earn it. I'd be profiting off someone's misfortune.

^(Need a transition. Not sure yet what to use.) ★ Karma can be defined as ^{explained} "what happens to me in life is a result of what I've done in my past."

If I keep the \$20 bill ^{while believing} and believe in karma, that would mean ^{that} one day I'd be ^{penalized} ~~punished~~ by the universe for my previous actions. (Yes, now that I've put that on paper, I wonder if that sounds ~~corny or ridiculous!~~) On the flipside, if I find the owner and return the money, I would be rewarded in my future life. Lastly, when I was in my 20s (decades ago...), I accidentally dropped a \$50 bill on the ground as I was waiting ^{in line} to pay for my gas. When I reached the till, I couldn't find the bill ^{which had been loose in} that I had ~~put into~~ my jacket pocket. I started ~~panicking~~ ^{began looking} and looked all around for it. A customer approached me, ~~asked what was wrong,~~ and ^{shared} ~~then told~~ me ~~that~~ ^{that} he had seen a ~~man~~ ^{customer} pick up the bill, shove it into his pocket and leave the store. ^{I was given} ~~The customer gave me~~ a description of the ^{customer} individual and I ran outside to look for ^{him.} this person. As you can probably guess,

I couldn't find him. I was so upset that someone could do that with no thought to the person who ^{had} dropped the money. Losing that money ^{certainly ~~wasn't~~ hasn't} set off a chain of events ^{been the worst thing to ever happen to me,} that led to many problems, but ~~in a nutshell,~~ ~~my~~ ~~life~~ ~~was~~ I have never forgotten the feelings of panic and the disappointment I felt towards this person. As I've mentioned before, that money wasn't his, he simply profited off my misfortune. If I want to live in a society where people respect each other and look to the greater good, then I must ~~act~~ behave in a way that supports this ideal.