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Grammar and Usage

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SENTENCE FORMS

Simple, Compound, Complex, Relative Clauses

Joining and Splitting of Sentences

NARRATION

Direct and Indirect

COMPOSITION

A single paragraph of about 50-60 words to be written on a given topic

LITERARY DEVICES / LITERARY TERMS

Rhetoric and Prosody