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1 Expository writing **explains** a topic to the reader.

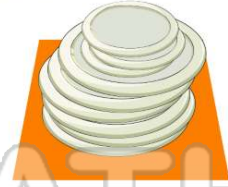
True or false?

- A true
- B false



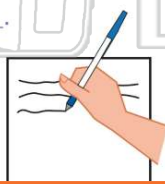
2 Emptying the dishwasher is easy. The \_\_\_\_\_ **step** is to open the door of the dishwasher.

- A second
- B first
- C last
- D third



3 "How to" paragraphs are **organized** \_\_\_\_\_.

- A circularly
- B civilly
- C classically
- D chronologically



4 The **most important idea**, or **focus**, of a paragraph is the \_\_\_\_\_.

- A conclusion
- B main idea
- C adjective
- D opinion



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- A Chalk
- B Lunchtime
- C Recess
- D Math



- A North America
- B Egypt
- C Hudson Bay
- D Mountains



9 Which **step** would appear in a process paper titled: "**How to Make a Bed**"?

- A Lower the window.
- B Call for the dog.
- C Fluff up the pillows.
- D Run quickly.



10 Which **step** would appear in a process paper titled: "**How to Make a Tuna Sandwich**"?

- A Open the jar of peanut butter.
- B Turn on the computer.
- C Throw the fish back into the water.
- D Open the can of tuna fish.





## ANSWER KEY

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(a)

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(b)



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(b)



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