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Cause and Effect Writing Template

Introduction Example *: Imagine walking home from school on a nice sunny day. There’s not a car in the street to be seen but you still have to wait to cross the road. You wait as the slow two-humped animal trots across Main Street. That’s right, it’s a camel! Camels have become an invasive species in Australia’s* outback.….

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Body Paragraph – Describe Cause of issue. Start with topic sentence. Example*: Camels becoming an invasive species in Australia was caused by multiple things, from who brought them to the country to the lack of predators in the outback. They were brought to Australia in…….*

*Introduce Topic –see powerpoint notes for examples.*

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 Body Paragraph -Describe Effect (s) of issue on people affected (or places or communities .) Start with topic sentence. Example: *There have been many consequences as a result of camels becoming an invasive species in the outback. First of all, they have eaten many……*

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Conclusion Paragraph- do not add new information. Perhaps, suggest a solution. Example: *Camels are taking over the Australian outback. They are leaving a path of destruction that needs to be stopped. Will Camel burgers save the day….*

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