

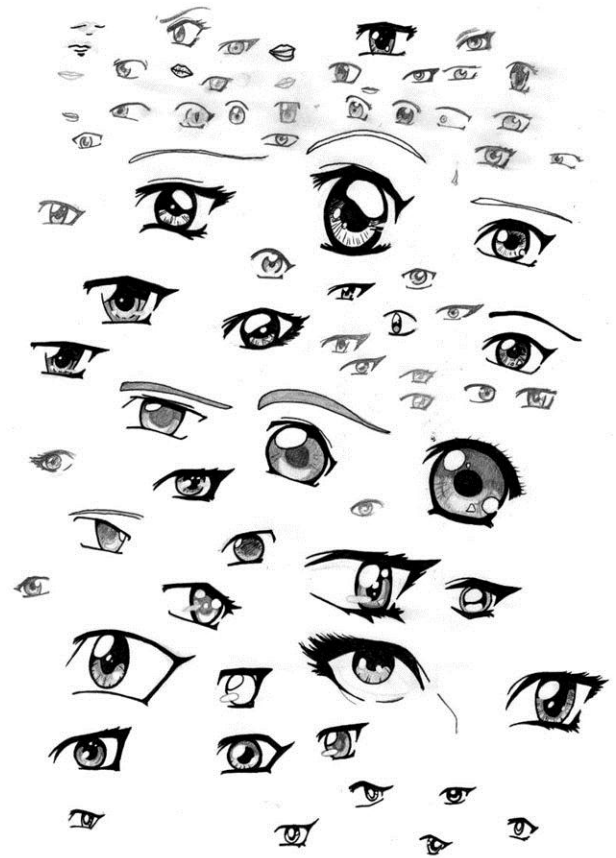
Learning Objective:

- To be able to start sentences in different ways

Imagine a fight between two boys
(or girls). You have 4 minutes to
describe that fight in your own
words

A bad way to start a sentence

I did this. I did
that. I like this.
I like that.



Beginning sentences with ...ing words

1. Scratching my chin, I kept on wondering.
2. Running as fast as I could, I made my way to school.
3. Laughing, she danced around the room.

Change these sentences to ones beginning with '...ing' words

1. Luke did his paper round.
2. They fell to the floor.
3. The dog chased the ball.

Creeping through the corridor, looking left to right...

Blinding his eyes, pounding his eardrums, destroying his courage...

Beginning sentences with ‘...ly’ words.

1. Angrily, the teacher stared at the student.
2. Cautiously, she stepped through the door.
3. Understandably, you feel upset.

You can combine them with participles
if you are really clever...

Noiselessly tiptoeing through the empty
corridor, the boy...

Change these sentences to ones beginning with ‘...ly’ words

1. Luke did his paper round.
2. They fell to the floor.
3. The dog chased the ball.

Beginning sentences with 'To...'

1. To make sure I had everything for school, I checked my bag.
2. To stop him running, the teacher stood in his way.
3. To climb the hill, John took walking boots.

Change these sentences to ones
beginning with 'To...'

1. Luke did his paper round.
2. They fell to the floor.
3. The dog chased the ball.

Level 4: He stood quietly in the rain

Level 5: Quietly, he stood in the rain.

Level 6: Quietly and sadly, he stood in the rain that fell around him

Level 7: Quietly contemplating his own sadness, he stood motionlessly, as silent and melancholy as a weather-beaten garden statue.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4wyg1IHJpTM>

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Describing a fight

Describe the fight between Pip (the winner) and Herbert (the loser). Each sentence must begin with an '**...ing**' word or a '**...ly**' word.

Here are some words to help you:

Unstoppably

Cleverly ducking

Bravely

Jumping

Staggering backwards

Falling

Resignedly

Unleashing a hard jab

Smiling happily

Compare your two pieces of writing

How have you improved your piece from earlier?