

(TS) My favourite summer vacation when I was a child was going on a car-camping trip to the Rocky Mountains. It was a fun time because I saw many wild animals like mountain sheep, mountain goats and hungry black bears. Secondly, I hiked up a mountain with my sisters and saw many lovely tall mountains, glaciers and aqua marine coloured lakes. We also got to go camping under tall pine trees where the air smelt cool and fresh. In the evening, we often ate some homemade hamburgers or hot dogs made on a campfire and some sweet marshmallows with hot chocolate too. **(CS)** That summer road trip through the Canadian Rockies of BC and Alberta was one of my favourite childhood vacations.

1. **Topic Sentence (TS)**-is usually the first sentence which is the main idea of the paragraph.
2. **Supporting Sentences (ss)**- are examples that explain the main idea of the paragraph. In the example paragraph there are 4 supporting sentences.
3. **Conclusion Sentence (CS)**- this rephrases or summarizes the main idea of the paragraph.