Pikesville High’s Power Writing Formula

Power 1: Topic Sentence

Power 2: Main Point that supports topic sentence

- First
- Second
- Third
- Besides
- Likewise
- Then
- Moreover
- Next
- Again
- In addition to
- Another
- Furthermore
- Lastly
- Above all
- Also
- Finally
- Still
- Equally important
- To begin with

Power 3: Detail that explains or extends power 2 sentence

- For example
- For instance
- In the same manner
- Because of this
- Specifically
- That is to say
- As a result
- In other words
- To be specific
- In such cases
- This can be explained

Power 4: Concluding Sentence

- In conclusion
- In summary
- In closing
- So as you can see

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