

Embedding Quotes Like A Pro

From literary analyses to synthesis essays, writing often requires references from other sources to help support a line of reasoning. The use of quotations in writing establishes the credibility of your argument, demonstrates your knowledge of the text, and displays your impeccable writing skills. But are you tired of incorporating information in the format of

4. Paraphrase

- a. Naturally responsible and confident, the oldest child often takes care of younger children and tends to have the qualities of a leader (Shine).

My favorite strategy is to paraphrase the information that you were going to put into your writing feature with your own thoughts and your own opinions. Facts are supposed to be the entirety of your writing; they are only to provide support for your own claims.

Now it is your turn to practice!

PRACTICE:

Try using each of the four methods above to write a sentence that incorporates and analyzes a part of the quote about Gatsby below!

"About him, some heightened sensitiveness" (Shine)