

# Cut 'n' Paste Scrambled Paragraph Freebie



**Directions:** Cut out the parts of the paragraph. Sort the strips so they form a logical, organized *Nuts and Bolts* Paragraph. Glue each part of the paragraph into the correct location on the answer sheet.

First, I made flyers describing my service and prices.

Last summer I started a dog-washing business.

My Own Business

I've been in business almost a year and I'm busier than ever.

Skipper's owner thought I did such a great job that he told all his friends.

Every Saturday, I have about seven dog-washing appointments.

Mom and I delivered them to all the houses in our neighborhood.

A few days later, my neighbor's collie, Skipper, was my first customer.

I hope to save enough to buy my own pet store, one day!

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<p><b>1. TITLE:</b> describes the whole paragraph</p>
<p><b>2. TOPIC SENTENCE:</b> introduces the whole paragraph</p>



<p><b>3. FIRST DETAIL:</b> first fact or idea stated in a general way</p>	<p><b>4. MORE ABOUT THE FIRST DETAIL:</b> adds to first detail with more facts + ideas</p>
<p><b>5. SECOND DETAIL:</b> second fact or idea stated in a general way</p>	<p><b>6. MORE ABOUT THE SECOND DETAIL:</b> adds to second detail with more facts + ideas</p>
<p><b>7. THIRD DETAIL:</b> third fact or idea stated in a general way</p>	<p><b>8. MORE ABOUT THE THIRD DETAIL:</b> adds to third detail with more facts + ideas</p>

<p><b>9. CLINCHER:</b> summarizing sentence that wraps up the paragraph</p>
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