

Maglev Technology Writing Guide

Prompt:

How could maglev trains help improve people's lives? Write three paragraphs. First summarize the author's criticism of conventional rail travel. Then briefly describe how maglev technology would address these problems. Finally describe how you think these changes might affect your own life.

1. What is the prompt asking you to do?

- Write 3 paragraphs
- Summarize the author's criticism of conventional rail travel
- Describe how maglev technology would address the author's concerns
- Describe how these changes would affect your own life

2. Brainstorm and outline your writing.

- For each paragraph do a QT chart
- Figure out what text evidence you will include in your writing
- Plan out your thoughts in why it supports the main topic of each paragraph

3. Write your paper!

- Use your QT charts to answer the prompt and write your three paragraphs!
- REREAD YOUR PARAGRAPH! Make sure it flows and makes sense.
- Did you "GAVE" it your all?

QT Chart Review

Q: (restate your prompt)

Text Evidence	My Thoughts
1. detail from the text	1. thoughts about detail 1
2. detail from the text	2. thoughts about detail 2
3. detail from the text	3. thoughts about detail 3