

# Compare and contrast: Old friends versus new friends

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## Grade 5 Writing Worksheet

**Prompt: Write a five-paragraph essay that describes how old friends and new friends are similar and different. Include specific evidence to support your thoughts!**

First, use the graphic organizer to help plan your essay.

<b>Essay Topic Sentence:</b>
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### Body Paragraph #1

<b>Topic Sentence: Similarity</b>
<b>Supporting Evidence:</b>

### Body Paragraph #2

<b>Topic Sentence: Similarity or Difference</b>
<b>Supporting Evidence:</b>

**Body Paragraph #3**

<b>Topic Sentence: Difference</b>
<b>Supporting Evidence:</b>

Then use your graphic organizer to write a five-paragraph essay complete with an introduction, three body paragraphs and a conclusion. Remember that each paragraph should have a topic sentence. Also include evidence in your body paragraphs!

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