

SENTENCE WRITING EXAMPLES FOR WRITING 1

Sentence types for expressing the PAST	Formula	Explanantion
Expressing the past using used to	There + used to + be + something to the left of + something else but this was + past participle	There used to be a bank to the left of the school but this was demolished and replaced with a youth centre.
Expression with peak at	Something + <u>peaked at</u> +figure + in + year	Sales of irons <u>peaked at</u> seven billion dollars in 2015.
Expression with was and peak in	There + was + <u>peak + in</u> + something + in + year.	There was a <u>peak in</u> computer sales in 2010.
Expression with was	There + was + a + something + <u>adjective + noun</u>	There was a <u>huge increase</u> in the number of attendees in 1999.
Expressing the past using by and the past perfect	By + past year + past perfect + to + figure	By 2010, the figures had risen to £1,300.
Expressing the past starting with a preposition and the past simple	In + past year, + past simple + a+ adverb + rise / fall + in value/price / interest / attendees	In 1992, Google witnessed a dramatic rise in sales as they rose to 600 billion.
Expressing the past using “ was once , a superlative , past perfect , a by phrase and the past simple ”	Subject + was once + superlative, + but this + past perfect + by the end of the period,+ as another subject + overtook /outgrew + them + by	Nokia was once the most popular, but this had changed by the end of the period as iPhone over took them by reaching 100000 units.
Non defining relative clause and Past Simple Passive	The + subject, which + be + <u>relative clause</u> + be + past participle	The bank, <u>which was on the left hand side of the town</u> , was demolished.

Sentence types for expressing the future	Formula	Example
Expressing the future with a future by phrase and past perfect	<u>By + future year</u> , future perfect (subject + will have + past participle	<u>By 2030</u> , sales of electric cars will have reached 60 billion in revenue.

Future with passive	<i>Something</i> + is /are expected to / forecasted / anticipated to + have + past participle + an all time high / low of + figure , + by + future time expression	<i>Mobile phones sales</i> are expected to have reached an all time high of 66% , by (the year) 2050 .
Future with passive 2	Subject + be + past participle + to + base verb + superlative	TV's are predicted to be the <u>most popular</u> durable.