

### Varied sentence openers

Click on the following link and watch the video about using fronted adverbials to start sentences

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/resource/t2-e-3729-spag-tastic-introducing-iggy-ispac-what-is-a-fronted-adverbial-video-1>

I.S.P.A.C.E.

I -> *ing words* (verbs to say what you're doing)

S -> *similes* (comparing to something else, use like or as)

P -> *prepositions* (when or where it happened)

A -> *Adverbs* (how or when it happened, often *ly* words)

C -> *Conjunction* (when you're giving more than one piece of information, use a comma to separate clauses)

E -> *Ed words* (verbs to show feelings or emotions)

E.g.

*Dreaming of buying the beautiful puppy, the happy girl smiled.*

Now try to write 5 sentences of your own using each type of sentence opener. REMEMBER the comma after the fronted adverbial

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*simile*

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*preposition*

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*conjunction*

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*ED word*

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