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# Writing Challenge: Use Anaphora, Epistrophe and Anadiplosis in a Paragraph



Repetition is a powerful tool for persuasion, emphasis, and rhythm in both writing and speech. Watch the video explanation, then write a paragraph that incorporates three forms of repetition: anaphora, epistrophe, and anadiplosis.

**Anaphora** – The repetition of a word or phrase at the beginning of successive clauses or sentences.

Example: **We will** rise. **We will** fight. **We will** overcome.



**Epistrophe** – The repetition of a word or phrase at the end of successive clauses or sentences.

Example: I want justice. You deserve justice. We demand justice.



**Anadiplosis** – The repetition of the last word of one clause or sentence at the beginning of the next.

Example: Fear leads to anger. Anger leads to hate. Hate leads to suffering.



## Example Paragraph

**Determination** drives success. **Determination** fuels progress. **Determination** builds resilience.

Without resilience, there is no growth. Without growth, there is no achievement. Without achievement, there is no fulfillment. We strive for fulfillment. We work for fulfillment. We live for fulfillment.

**Anaphora:**

**Determination** drives success. **Determination** fuels progress. **Determination** builds resilience.

The word "Determination" is repeated at the beginning of successive sentences.

**Anadiplosis:** Determination builds resilience. Without resilience, there is no growth. Without growth, there is no achievement. Without achievement, there is no fulfillment."

The last word of each clause ("resilience" → "growth" → "achievement") is repeated at the beginning of the next.

**Epistrophe** (Repetition at the end):

We strive for fulfillment. We work for fulfillment. We live for fulfillment.

The phrase "for fulfillment" is repeated at the end of each sentence.



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