**Appendix C**

**Composing a First Draft**

**P** - Pick a Topic

**L** – List your ideas about the topic (you can use a

 Graphic organizer to help organize your ideas)

**E**- Evaluate your topic ideas: only use important

 ideas

**A** – Activate the paragraph with a topic sentence

**S** – Supply supporting sentences (detail sentences)

**E** –End with a closing sentence (use a feeling

 sentence or restate the topic)