| Name: Graphic Organizer for my Report on ______________________________. |
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| **Introduction:** What tone (voice) will you set with your report’s first sentence? ___________ |
| **Tone Options:** (Your tone shows your attitude about the topic you’re writing about.) |
| Confidence |
| Worry |
| Anger |
| Passion |
| Boredom |
| Sadness |
| Happiness |
| ___________ | (or?) |
| **Second Paragraph:** What big question about your topic will this paragraph answer? |
| ________________________________________________________________________________ |
| **Some Transition Choices:** (Consider these word and phrase options as you move from one idea to the next in your report’s sentences:) |
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| as a result, |
| as well as, |
| at first, |
| besides, |
| by the way, |
| especially, |
| finally, |
| for example, |
| for instance, |
| for now, |
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| in addition, |
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| in short, |
| instead of, |
| in this case, |
| likewise, |
| moreover, |
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| next, |
| on one hand, |
| on the other hand, |
| particularly secondly, |
| similarly, |
| so then, |
| specifically, |
| therefore, |
| thirdly to begin with, |
| to illustrate, |
| to summarize, |
| unfortunately, |
| while, |
| with that said, |
| ________________________________________________________________________________ |
| **Third Paragraph:** What big question about your topic will this paragraph answer? |
| ________________________________________________________________________________ |
| **Fourth Paragraph:** What big question about your topic will this paragraph answer? |
| ________________________________________________________________________________ |
| **Final Paragraph Requirement:** Remind your reader of your intended tone in this last paragraph! |
Name: Modeled Pre-writing Choices

Graphic Organizer for my Report on **Dolphins**

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| Second Paragraph: What big question about your topic will this paragraph answer? | Why are they killing the dolphins? | Some Transition Choices: (Consider these word and phrase options as you move from one idea to the next in your report’s sentences:)
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<td>If people want to help end this situation but don’t know how, in general there are two things they can do...</td>
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| Final Paragraph Requirement: Remind your reader of your intended tone in this last paragraph! | In conclusion, it’s important for us to be angry because... |

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