

# Basics of the CNC Turning Center

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After you complete the class, return to the page with the class vocabulary list on it.

Write a paragraph (5–7 sentences) about the different types of lathes. Using the words from the vocabulary list, describe how each operates and the differences between them. Underline all vocabulary words used in your report.

1. The first sentence of your paragraph should introduce the reader to what your topic is.
2. Your next three or four sentences should tell about your topic with more detail.
3. Your last sentence should give an ending for the topic and give a good starting point for the next topic.

## Writing tips

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The basic rule to paragraphs is “Keep one idea to one paragraph.” A paragraph is a type of writing used to highlight a single item or theme. When you write a paragraph, you must know the audience who will read it. Use words the reader will be able understand.

When you start a paragraph, give your reader the topic covered in that paragraph. It will be the only thing covered in that paragraph.

Make sure that each sentence in the paragraph is complete and clear. One sentence that is hard to understand can make the entire paragraph not make sense.



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