## **Structure of Metals 110**

Using the words from the vocabulary, write a paragraph (5–7 sentences) that tells the components of an atom and what each of their electrical charge is. Underline all vocabulary words used in your report.

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

- 1. The first sentence of your paragraph should introduce the reader to what the parts of an atom are.
- 2. Your next three or four sentences should tell what each part of the atom is and its purpose in detail. Be sure to tell what the electrical charge for each part is.
- 3. Your last sentence should give an ending for the topic and give a good starting point for the next topic.

## Writing tips

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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