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Revising



After checking the first draft, it is time to write the second draft. Read the tip boxes carefully. They will give you much help on writing up the second draft!

V

Write a new opening in a **friendly** and **chatty** way.

Second Draft

Dear Peggy,

W

Add a **preposition** here.

How are you? I want to inform you that I had a great travelling experience. Is everything going on well on your side?

I

Cross out the words which are **less relevant**.

Hope all is well with you.

W

Use a correct pronoun.

Did you travel to any places with your parents in the last summer holiday? I travelled to London with my dad and mum. As you know, my father's very busy. ~~He gets up early~~

I

Can you write more about your experience in **the museum**?

~~to work and comes home late every day. Sometimes he even has to work overnight.~~ It's really difficult for him to spare time to travel with we us. I was really glad that he could finally spend some time with Mum and me.

O

Think of a **connective** to link the ideas up.

We went to several famous tourist attractions in London, including the British Museum, The Theatre and the Buckingham Palace. In the museum, we discovered many historical and precious items. I'll never forget how the Egyptian mummies looked! It's a bit frightening actually.

W

Use a specific **verb** to replace 'were'.

Also, we went to The Theatre to see an opera. The actors were performed really well on stage!



I was deeply moved by their passion. The music was excellent too.

For the Buckingham Palace, we watched the march of the Beefeaters there and it was really amazing!

We couldn't stop taking photos from time to time.

Finally, we did a lot of shopping during the summer sale before we left London. Since London is a shopping paradise

, I bought a lot of fashionable clothing items, shoes and trendy accessories, ranging from

bags to earrings, at very low prices. Not only Mum, but also Dad shopped till they dropped!

Now you tell me what you did in the summer. How did you spend your summer holiday? Please tell me in your next letter.

Best,

Edmond

I How did you feel? What else about the opera was good?

I What was your feeling about the march?

I Why did you buy so many things?

W Can you use an adjective to describe the clothing items?

I Describe how the shopping experience was.

V Rewrite the closing paragraph politely with your expectation of a reply.

