

Question- Answer



Nonfiction writers aim to teach their readers about something. But how do they go about deciding what to write? This strategy will help you to get started with non-fiction writing.



1. Choose a topic.
2. Think of a list of questions your reader might have about your topic. Try to think of 5-10.
3. Write each question at the top of a new page.

What do dolphins eat?

How do dolphins eat?

How do dolphins breathe?

How do dolphins see underwater?

Look at your questions and combine any topics that are similar together.

What do dolphins eat?

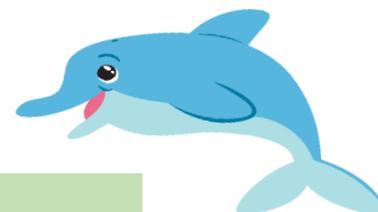
How do dolphins eat?

These questions are very similar. I think I will combine them or answer them

Set out to answer your questions. Think about how you can answer your questions in 3-5 sentences. Here is an example for one of my questions.

What do dolphins eat?

How do dolphins eat?



Have you ever wondered what dolphin dinner time looks like? Dolphins have their own special diet, just like you and I. They mostly eat fish like herring, cod, or mackerel. Some dolphins even eat squid! Like humans, dolphins have teeth, but they don't chew their food. They just bite and then swallow.

Remember to do this for ALL of your questions!