

# NASTY WRITING!

## Fronted Adverbials to Give Opinions

Fronted adverbials are really useful when we need to give our opinion more formally.

Remember, you need to use a comma after a fronted adverbial!

Use some of the fronted adverbials below to write 3-4 sentences giving your opinions about what happened in Pigeon Impossible.

Try giving a positive/negative opinion and then, contrasting it with a negative/positive opinion (countering! – see *below!*)

Eg In my opinion, learning from home can be quite relaxed as you can work in your pyjamas. Conversely, sitting around in your pyjamas can make you feel a bit lazy and less motivated to get on with any work.

### Introducing your opinion

In my opinion,

To my mind,

Without doubt,

Firstly,

According to my own experience,

### Making another point

Furthermore,

In addition to this,

Moreover,

What is more,

Likewise,

### Making a contrasting point (countering!)

However,

Nevertheless,

Despite this,

Even so,

Conversely,

### Conclusion/Finishing up

In conclusion,

All in all,

In short,

For these reasons,

Finally,