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**Walden Pond**

**Directions: Please read the body paragraph below (in blue). Then, complete the intro paragraph outline above it (in red). You should end up with 5 sentences that form an intro paragraph that leads into the body paragraph.**

1. *QQFAD (Quote, Question, Fact, Anecdote, Definition):*

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1. *Who, what, when, why about QQFAD (Related Sentence 1):*

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1. *Who, what, when, why about QQFAD (Related Sentence 2):*

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1. *Bridge/Transition (can mention specific topic):*

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1. *Thesis Statement (Subject + Key Idea + 3 Supporting Details):*

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Tennis Balls

The sights, sounds, and feelings of Walden Pond make it an outstanding place to go in the summer. First, the colorful sights at Walden pond make it a beautiful place to visit. People wearing multi-colored swim suits speckle the beach and pond with color. Boaters paddle along in brightly painted kayaks and canoes. Next, the cheerful sounds of Walden Pond make it an appealing place to spend an afternoon. Children scream in delight as they splash one another in the water. The sound of laughter can be heard tinkling through the air as friends play together. Last, visitors can experience many relaxing feelings while at Walden Pond. Crisp, refreshing water helps to keep beach goers from becoming overheated. Dozing under the warm sun is a comfortable way to pass the time. These pleasant sights, sounds, and feelings make Walden Pond a terrific place to visit.

**Language Homework Grade**

Assignment:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Student: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Content:** 1 2 3 4

**Mechanics:**  1 2 3 4

**Follow Directions:** 1 2 3 4

**Effort:**  1 2 3 4

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