

The Five Senses Approach

Think of your topic and imagine the scene before you. Describe it in detail using all the five sensory words in the first column. Use the most descriptive words as a starting point for your story or scatter them throughout. For example, you are in a candy shop and you can smell the decadent chocolate mixed with the sweetness of candy. You can see every color of the rainbow in every shape and size. You hear the sounds of kids laughing and the clinking of the metal scoopers in the bins. You can taste the chocolate melting on your tongue. You feel the little collectible candies weighing down your clear plastic bag.

Subject	
Smell	
See	
Hear	
Taste	
Touch	

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