**Writing Opinions**

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| * **I stated my opinion.** * **I gave a general reason to support my opinion.** | * I stated my opinion. * I gave MANY reasons to support my opinion. * **SOME of my reasons are specific.** | * I stated my opinion. * I gave MANY reasons to support my opinion. * Some of my reasons are specific. * **I gave examples to support my opinion.** | * I stated my opinion. * I supported my opinion with specific reasons and examples. * **I wrote an ending.** | * I stated my opinion. * I supported my opinion with specific reasons and examples. * I wrote an ending. * **I used linking words to connect my reasons and examples to my opinion.** |