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Presenting Quotations as Evidence

There are three ways to embed quotations:

- When you set-off a quotation, distinguish it from the rest of the sentence with a comma and capitalize the first word of the quote. Use a signal phrase when setting off a quotation.

- Build a quote into a sentence. Introduce a built-in quote with a signal phrase and the word "that." The first word of the quote is NOT capitalized.

- Introduce a quote with a colon. The preceding sentence signals that what comes after the colon is a quotation by providing some information about it. Capitalize the first word in the quote.

DIRECTIONS: Write two sentences below. Each sentence should include an embedded quotation presented as evidence to support your essay's claim. When you present the quotation as evidence, be sure to include a signal phrase, where the quote is from, and who is being quoted.

My claim: _____

_____

My evidence:

1.

2.