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Diacope is the repetition of a word or phrase with other words in between. The simplest type of diacope is called a vocative diacope, which is the repetition of a phrase for emphasis:

“That was cool! So cool!”

An elaborative diacope repeats a word or phrase and also adds an additional word or words that clarify or further emphasize something:

“That was cool! It was surprising and scary and cool!”

**DIRECTIONS:** Rewrite each sentence twice. The first time, add a vocative diacope to the original sentence. The second time, add an elaborative diacope to the original sentence.

1. I forgot my homework.

2. I lost my keys.

3. That gives me hope.

4. This is such a relief.