

### *Writing Practice*

**Directions:** Change the simple sentences to one complex sentence. Then create one paragraph. Use conjunctions, adjective clauses, noun clauses and etc. when appropriate. Do not repeat words. Use *gerunds when possible or change the words in order to use gerunds.*

#### Part A Sentence

- 1) Las Vegas is in Nevada. It is in the western part of the United States.
  
- 2) It is a popular city. It is visited by millions of people every year. These people are eager to gamble their hard-earned money.
  
- 3) The population of the Las Vegas Metropolitan area is around 2.5 million people. The population continues to grow. People usually think Las Vegas is a smaller city.
  
- 4) Most people are not born in Las Vegas. Most Las Vegas residents come from other states.
  
- 5) Las Vegas residents enjoy many activities. They like to go to bars, clubs and shopping malls. Some people also like to hike in the surrounding desert.
  
- 6) People from Las Vegas are crazy. They should be avoided at all times.

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