

VIDEO, MASTER CLASS OR LIVE CONCERT REVIEW

State the title of the event, place, and date.

What styles of dance did you observe? (Jazz, Modern, Ballet, Tap, Ballroom, Folk, Ethnic?)

If you observed or participated in Ballroom, what dances did you recognize? Describe. What new steps did you learn?

Did you enjoy watching (or participating) in the event? Why? Can you select a favorite dance from the event or concert? Why?

Describe specific special lighting effects or costumes that enhanced the performance. Any special props that enhanced the performance?

Describe how the stage space was used in your favorite dance. (Hints: all or part of the stage, any entrances and exits.)

Analyze the events strengths and weaknesses giving specific examples.

Describe the performers: audience appeal, enthusiasm, energy, technique, etc.

CONCLUSION: State, in a concluding paragraph, your general reaction to the event that you observed or participated in, as summarized by facts mentioned above.

What dances did you like best? Name the dances and state your reasons for choosing those dances.

What information did you find interesting regarding the history or style of a particular dance (or dances)?

Comment on the various costumes you observed. Why do you think a costume is styled for a particular dance? (i.e. Latin, Waltz, Quick Step).

Which style of dance was least interesting for you to watch? Why?

You are a journalist with a newspaper column. Write a paragraph that would inform your readers about the video you just previewed. You think it is a hot video and you want to win over your readers and have them buy it.

General reaction to your experience in viewing the video. (Was it educational? Were historical facts interesting? Have you seen this style of competition before?)

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WORKSHOPS (Student participates in the event)

Name the event, date and time of the workshop.

What style of dance did you learn?

What was your favorite part of the class and why?

What special teaching hint did you learn that helped your dancing style or technique?

Describe the class format.

State in a paragraph, your general reaction to the class.