

Writing a Paraphrase

- A Summary conveys the main idea of a source
- A paraphrase gives detailed restatement of a source's important ideas in their entirety.
- Gives the source main points,
- Reflects its order, tone
- A paraphrase can be as long as the source itself.
- Paraphrases are original, use your own language
- Paraphrases are accurate reflecting both the ideas and the emphasis of the source.
- Paraphrases are objective; they should not include your opinion.
- Paraphrases are complete; they should include all the important ideas in your source.