

## Writing a summary/annotation

### 1. Introducing the theme of the text

The title of the text is...

As you can see from the title, the text is devoted to...

The text deals with .../touches upon/focuses on...

### 2. Drawing the reader's attention to the major points of the contents

At the beginning of the text the author describes/explains/analyses/comments/characterizes/underlines...

The article begins with the description of/a review of/the analysis of...

Then/after that/further on/next the author gives a detailed analysis of.../goes on to say that...

The author examines/considers...

According to the text...

It is reported...

It is spoken in detail...

Much attention is given to...

It shows advantages and disadvantages of...

It is expected that...

It is pointed out that...

Research has shown that...

Experiments proved that...

... is/are discussed briefly.

...is/are proposed.

...is/are examined.

### 3. Forming a conclusion to which the reader's attention is drawn

The author comes to the conclusion that.../ draws the conclusion that...

At the end of the text the author states that.../puts forward the idea of...

In conclusion the author...

The author concludes by saying that.../doesn't agree with...

### 4. Defining the value of work/text/article

I've learnt a lot...

I think...

I consider...

The article is of great help to...

The article is of interest to...