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Different Organizational Patterns in Reading

Objective: Students will be able to identify and use organizational patterns in reading and writing.

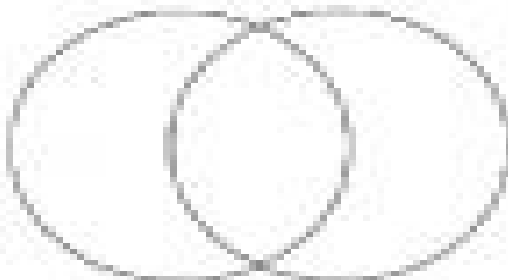
Key Words:

- 1. Organizational patterns are the structures or order in which ideas are presented.
- 2. **Compare and contrast** organizational patterns are used to compare and contrast two or more subjects or ideas.
 - a. **Chronological order** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of events.
 - b. **Order of importance** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of importance of the subjects.
 - c. **Order of similarity** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of similarity of the subjects.
 - d. **Order of contrast** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of contrast of the subjects.
 - e. **Order of cause and effect** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of cause and effect of the subjects.
 - f. **Order of problem and solution** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of problem and solution of the subjects.
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 - h. **Order of classification** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of classification of the subjects.
 - i. **Order of description** is organizational pattern that helps the reader understand the order of description of the subjects.
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Guided Notes: Please fill in the blanks in the following organizational patterns.

Key Words	Definition	Example
1. _____	_____	_____
Compare and contrast	_____	_____

Organizational Patterns: Please fill in the blanks in the following patterns.



_____ and _____
and _____ and _____
_____ and _____
_____ between _____
_____ things