**Hook:** A hook is an introductory sentence or sentences that draw your reader into your writing. There are many different hooks a writer can use. Below are some examples of hooks for the topic of “Why New Brunswick is an awesome place to live”.

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| **Hook** | **Example** |
| Small moment | Imagine sitting on a sandy beach, listening to the seagulls call and the waves crash, smelling the salt air in the breeze. This could be your reality if you lived in New Brunswick. |
| Strong Opinion | New Brunswick is, without a doubt, one of the best places to live! |
| Description | Majestic forests, tumultuous oceans and breathtaking rivers are just some of what New Brunswick has to offer. |
| Onomatopoeia  (words that sound like sounds… whoosh, ring, beep…) | “Crash”. That’s the sound of the waves crashing along the shores of New Brunswick. |
| Question | Did you know that New Brunswick is home to the longest covered bridge in the world and has the highest tides? |

Now it is your turn. Pick three types of hooks and write an introductory sentence for your writing topic.

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| **Type of Hook** | **Sentence** |
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