Imagine:

A new government has come to power in the United States and has decided to change the Constitution. Only 2 of the current 27 amendments will be kept, and the rest will be erased. The government is going to allow the people to voice their opinion on which 2 amendments should be saved.

* Which 2 will you choose?
* **What** do these amendments protect?
* **Why** did you choose these 2?

Write in **COMPLETE SENTENCES**. A well-written paragraph has:

1. A topic sentence that introduces the paragraph’s main idea.
2. Supporting examples/details
3. Proper spelling/grammar
4. Organized, clear sentence structure

Amendment Entry Ticket Rubric

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| Cites 2 Amendments | Explains Amendments | Proper Spelling and Grammar | Organized Paragraph | Supports Argument |
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