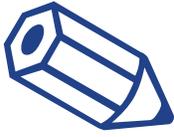


# Revision Strategy Menu 2



## Add

**Ask yourself:** "What can I add to make my writing clearer or more complete?"

**When to use:**

- Writing needs more explanation
- Missing information or a linking word (like *because* or *also*)

**Example:** I held the bridge up high. (6 syllables). → I held the bridge up so high. (7 syllables)



## Delete

**Ask yourself:** "Is there anything extra off-topic?"

**When to use:**

- Repetition of the same words, phrases, or ideas
- Writing goes off topic

**Example:** I zoomed so very fast through the night. (9 syllables) → I zoomed so ~~very~~ fast through the night. (7 syllables)



## Change

**Ask yourself:** "Can I say this in a better way?"

**When to use:**

- A word or phrase is not clear
- Make the message stronger by using different words

**Example:** I ran across the street so fast. → I dashed across the street so fast.



## Rearrange

**Ask yourself:** "Would my writing make more sense in a different order?"

**When to use:**

- Important details are out of order
- Words, phrases, sentences, or ideas are confusing

**Example:** I held the bridge up high, so strong. → So strong, I held the bridge up high.