**Checklist** for Revising and Editing Science Summaries

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Use this checklist as you revise and edit your science summary.

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| **REVISING** |
|  | **Ideas** Have I stated the main point and paraphrased the key details? |
|  | **Organization** Do I have effective topic, body, and closing sentences? |
|  | **Voice** Does my tone fit the article, subject, and purpose? |
|  | **Words** Do I correctly use scientific terms from the article? |
|  | **Sentences** Does the summary read smoothly? |
| **EDITING** |
|  | **Conventions** Have I checked all facts, figures, names, and technical terms? Have I checked punctuation, capitalization, spelling, and grammar? |
|  | **Design** Do I include an informative title for my summary? |