

Rearranging sentences: A post – reading activity

Cut up pieces:

ISTP is a study that examines the **transport system in 37 cities**.

According to this study, the **more efficient cities** are, the **better the quality of life** is for people there.

According to Professor Newman, ISTP director, **Melbourne** is unusual **city with varying levels of car usage** and more people today **prefer** to live in its **inner suburbs**.

He also states that cities that **depend on cars** are **inefficient and lacking** in different aspects.

However, cities that are **bicycle friendly** can still achieve high levels of efficiency.

Steps:

- Divide students into **small groups or pairs**.
- Hand out **cut-up sentences**, with each summarizing a section's main idea
- Have students **arrange the sentences in order**. It helps to tell them which sentence goes first.
- Encourage them to tell each other *why* they think a particular sentence comes next.
- To make it fun, you could have a prize for the team or pair that finishes first.