Lesson 34: Quiz 8 - Revise Using Essay Scoring Rubric

Directions: Let’s try revising Lee’s paragraph. Use the essay scoring rubric to guide you.

Lee has revised his draft. Use the essay scoring rubric to guide you toward the changes made to his first draft in paragraphs 2-5. Follow the example. The first one has been done for you.

- Read his revised paragraph.
- Read his original draft.
- Find two changes needed in the draft and type them.
- Decide which part of the essay scoring rubric identified the error.
- Choose the letter(s) that explain(s) the error above what you underlined.

Example:
Paragraph 1: Introduction Revised
The schools should promote healthy eating habits for all students by taking several steps to ensure a proper diet. In many communities, children eat breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack at school, five days a week. It is very important that children develop proper nutrition from the beginning, and the schools can help in this effort.

Paragraph 1: Introduction
The schools should promote healthy eating habits for all students. They can take several steps to ensure a proper diet. The menus must offer balanced meals and a variety of choice. Foods that contain high levels of fats, sugar, salt, and additives, should be eliminated. Junk food should not be available to the students. The foods should also be appealing in appearance and taste. The responsibility of the schools is to educate the community, especially when it comes to healthy eating.

Paragraph 4 Revised
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Read the revised and the original draft. Then find one change needed in the original draft and write the sentence below. Read the essay scoring rubric to guide you.

Decide which part of the essay scoring rubric identified the error. Then Choose the letter that explains the error. Use P (prompt), O (organization), D (development), S/G (sentences/grammar) and W (word choice). And explain it in short.
Select one:
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