

Amelia Earhart: Main Idea and Supporting Detail Sentences

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Below are three headings at the beginnings of paragraphs. Below the chart are the associated supporting detail sentences. Which sentences would appear under which heading? Use the numbers before the sentences so you don't have to write the entire sentence. Order matters!

Early Life	Amelia in the Sky	Amelia's Final Journey

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2. In July of 1920, Amelia bought her first airplane; a yellow Kinner airplane that she named "the Canary."
3. In 1937, Amelia decided to plan for an around-the-world flight.
4. After flying over 22,000 miles, however, Amelia's plane became lost over the vast Pacific Ocean as she was trying to find a tiny island to refuel
5. Amelia was born on July 24, 1897, in Atchison, Kansas.
6. The flight was long and difficult and Amelia made stops in countries around the world, where she was hailed as a hero.
7. Soon after, Amelia began taking flying lessons from Anita Snook, a renowned female flight instructor.
8. Amelia and her sister, Muriel, lived with their grandparents for much of their childhoods.
9. She was never heard from again.

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