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Reporting on risk

You can use the examples below to help you structure your article:

Paragraph 1
Introduce the issue.

"By _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ London will be facing a major problem. This will be _ _ _ _
_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _. It will cause all sorts of problems including _ _ _ _ _ _
_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _."

Paragraph 2
Talk about why it will happen.

"The flooding will happen because of a number of reasons. Firstly because _
_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _, also because _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ and finally
because _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _"

Paragraph 3
Say what sorts of solutions there are and what the problems and benefits of these are. Write a sentence or two about physical, natural and political solutions.

"One thing that could be done is improve physical/natural/political defences such as _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ by _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ This would be a good solution because _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _, but this would be a bad option because _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _."

Paragraph 4

Tell the readers about the different people involved in the debate and what they say

" One of the groups of people interested in what happens are _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _. They support/object to more development because _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _."

" In contrast, the _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ say _. They think _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _."

Paragraph 5

Think about the reasons why different interest groups are saying what they are. Who do you think is ultimately responsible and what could the reader do?

Paragraph 6

Round up your article by reflecting on your own personal opinion and the consequences of them not agreeing soon.