Revising Sentence Fragments and Run-on Sentences

The following paragraph is confusing because it contains some sentence fragments and run-on sentences. First, identify the fragments and run-ons. Then, revise each fragment and run-on to make the paragraph clearer.

Highlight fragments in blue.

Highlight run-ons in red.

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