



Interpreting and Writing

About Findings

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Agenda

Plan for Week 14

Reviewing the executive summary

Writing the abstract

Discussion starters

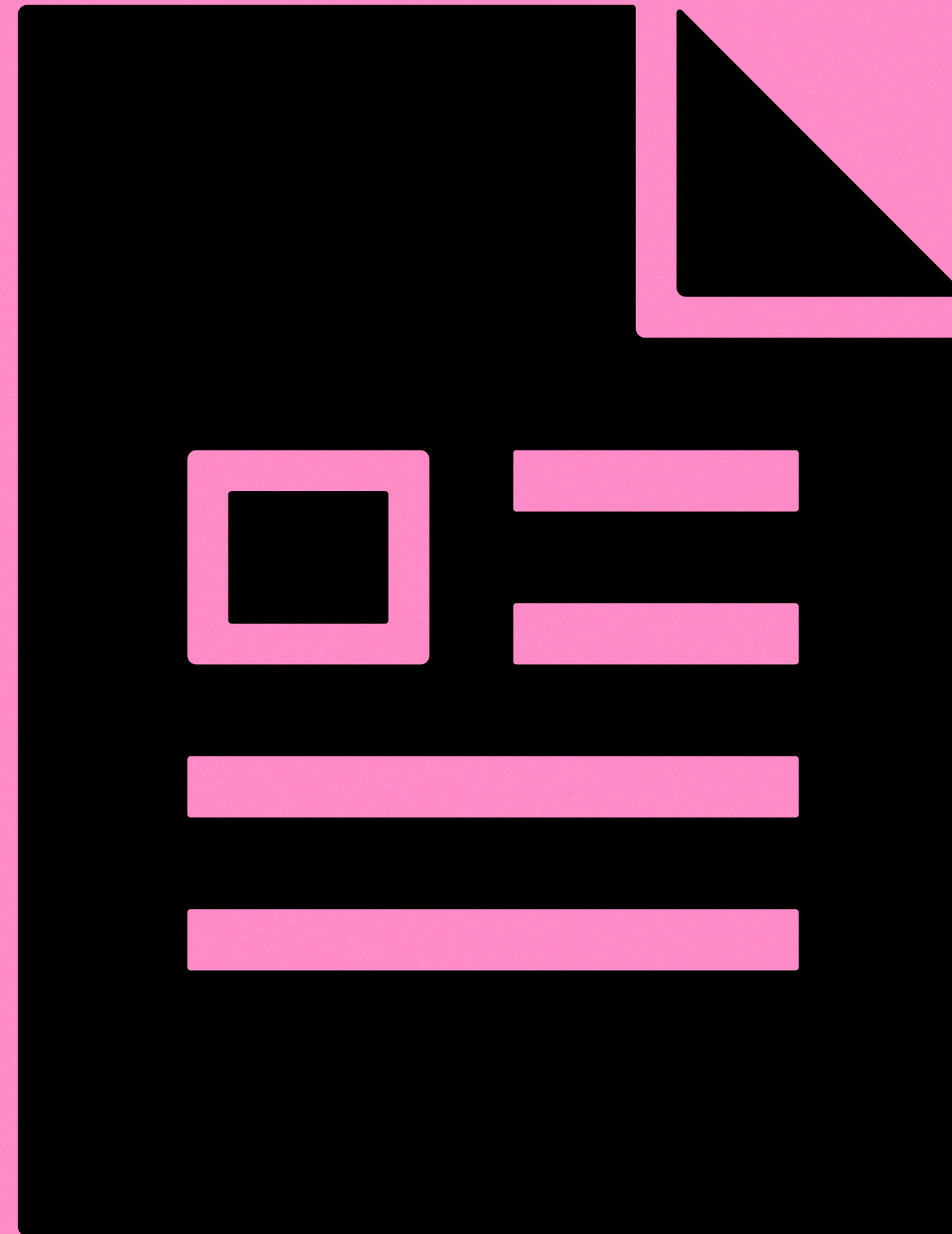
Bias-free language

Telling a story with your data

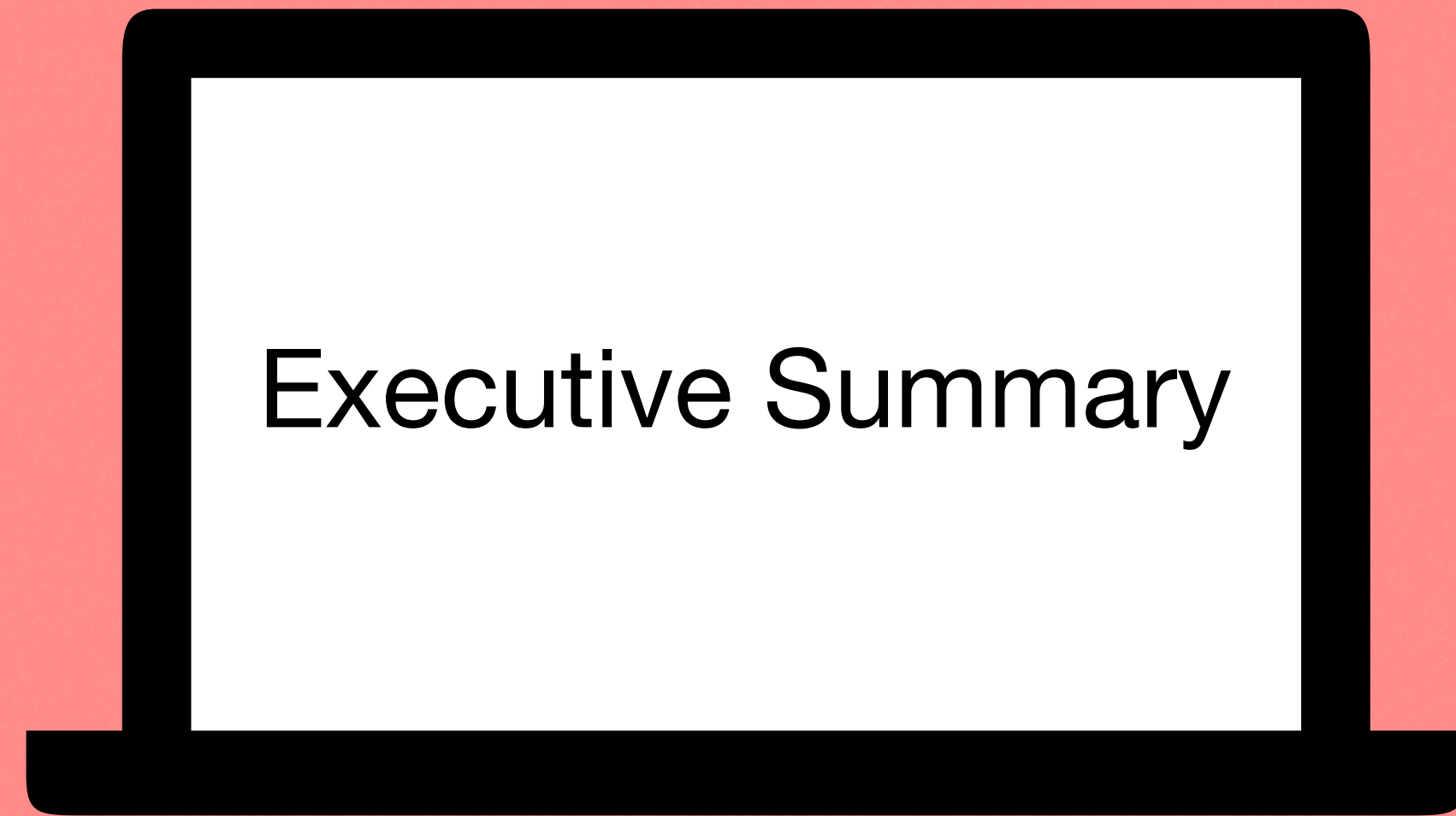
Writing a summary with data from last week

Time work with your group

Executive Summary Template Review



Write abstract and share it with another group



Executive Summary



Write Here



Resources Here

Reading and understanding abstracts

<https://apastyle.apa.org/instructional-aids/reading-abstracts.pdf>

Abstract and Keywords Guide

<https://apastyle.apa.org/instructional-aids/abstract-keywords-guide.pdf>

Discussion Phrases Guide by APA Style Guide

Sentence starts for....

- Summarizing your results
- Linking findings to previous research
- Discussing research results
- Study limitations
- Study implications
- Directions for future research

In small groups, discuss these sentence starters and how you might use them

<https://apastyle.apa.org/instructional-aids/inclusive-language.pdf>

Brief Guide to Bias-Free and Inclusive Language

Read the brief guide together, look at some of the resources shared in the **Bias-Free Language Guidelines** and the **Inclusive Language Guide**.

What could you apply to your paper

Why is this important to consider in our writing

What could be challenging about applying this

**How can you tell a story
using your data?**

Writing up a summary of some of the groups responses from data collected last week

Break it apart into some sections.
Give each group a section to write up about. Write a final paper sharing the data collected



Group Work Final Paper or Presentation