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| Introduction   * Discuss the issues involved in your topic, i.e. background information * Include a thesis statement:  1. Value: What is it worth 2. Interpretation: What does it mean? 3. Policy: What action should be taken. |

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| Confirmations # 1, #2, and #3 : Begin each body paragraph with a topic sentence stating the first reason why your claim in your thesis is correct.  Topic sentence  Developmental sentence  Detail: Use information from your source  Developmental sentence  Detail  Wrap up sentence |

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| Refutation / Concession Paragraph |

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| Conclusion: A call to action |