

OUTLINE TEMPLATE

Thesis: clear, complete statement with a topic and a comment or argument:

Four main ideas that support the thesis statement:

1:

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5 facts, quotes or data that support main idea #1:

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5 facts, quotes or data that support main idea #3:

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5 facts, quotes or data that support main idea #2:

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5 facts, quotes or data that support main idea #4:

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First paragraph uses the four main ideas to introduce and support your thesis statement. Second paragraph starts with the main idea as the topic sentence and uses the 5 listed quotes and facts to support that idea.

Third paragraph repeats same structure as the second paragraph, continue same format