

Persuasive Essay Outline

I. Introduction

- A. Hook/Attention Grabber
- B. Background Information
- C. Thesis Statement/Claim

II. Body Paragraph 1

- A. Topic Sentence
- B. Evidence/Example
- C. Explanation/Analysis
- D. Closing Sentence

III. Body Paragraph 2

- A. Topic Sentence
- B. Evidence/Example
- C. Explanation/Analysis
- D. Closing Sentence

IV. Counterargument and Rebuttal

- A. Counterargument
- B. Rebuttal
- C. Closing Sentence

V. Conclusion

- A. Restate Thesis
- B. Summarize Main Points
- C. Final Thought/Closing Statement