

Argument Prewriting

Paragraph 1: Introduction

Hook

Claim Statement (Thesis)

Paragraph 2: Reason #1

Reason

Text-Based Evidence

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Analysis of Evidence
(What does it mean? Why does it support the reason?)

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Paragraph 3: Reason #2

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| Reason | | |
| Text-Based Evidence | Text-Based Evidence | Text-Based Evidence |
| Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) | Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) | Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) |

Paragraph 4: Reason #3

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| Reason | | |
| Text-Based Evidence | Text-Based Evidence | Text-Based Evidence |
| Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) | Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) | Analysis of Evidence (<u>What</u> does it mean? <u>Why</u> does it support the reason?) |

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Paragraph 5: Counterclaim

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| Counterclaim | Refute the Counterclaim (“Spin”) |
| Text-Based Evidence | Text-Based Evidence |

Paragraph 6: Conclusion

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| Restate Claim Statement |
| Summary of Three Reasons |
| Final Lasting Impression |