

Introduction:

- 1. Hook** (a strong statement, a scene, a rhetorical question, a quote, or a definition)

- 2. Introduce topic and give background information**

- 3. Thesis statement (main idea)**

Body (three reasons):

I. Detail 1: _____

A. Topic Sentence

B. Supporting detail 1

Example:

Explanation:

C. Supporting detail 2

Example:

Explanation:

D. Concluding Statement

II. Detail 2: _____

A. Topic Sentence

B. Supporting detail 1

Example:

Explanation:

C. Supporting detail 2

Example:

Explanation:

D. Concluding Statement

III. Detail 3: _____

A. Topic Sentence

B. Supporting detail 1

Example:

Explanation:

C. Supporting detail 2

Example:

Explanation:

D. Concluding Statement

Conclusion:

1. Restate Thesis (variation)

2. Summarize Reasons

3. Give final thought
