

SAT: Actually Outline an Essay Handout

Introduction	1. Eye-Catching First Sentence that addresses the topic in general:	
	2. Strong, argumentative thesis giving your perspective:	
	3. Two or three examples that support your thesis (and that	1.
	you'll discuss in the paragraphs below):	2.
		3.
Body Paragraphs	Example #1: Supporting Evidence:	1.
	Example #2: Supporting Evidence:	2.
	Example #3: Supporting Evidence:	3.
	Recommended: Counter- Arguments Against the Other	
	Point of View	
Conclusion	Wrap-Up Sentence	