



## SAT: Actually Outline an Essay Handout

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| <b>Introduction</b>    | <b>1. Eye-Catching First Sentence that addresses the topic in general:</b>  |           |
|                        | <b>2. Strong, clear thesis giving your perspective:</b>   |           |
|                        | <b>3. Two or three examples from the text that support your thesis (and that you'll discuss in the paragraphs below):</b> | <b>1.</b> |
|                        |   | <b>2.</b> |
|                        |   | <b>3.</b> |
| <b>Body Paragraphs</b> | <b>Example #1: Supporting Evidence:</b>   | <b>1.</b> |
|                        | <b>Example #2: Supporting Evidence:</b>   | <b>2.</b> |
|                        | <b>Example #3: Supporting Evidence:</b>   | <b>3.</b> |
| <b>Conclusion</b>      | <b>Wrap-Up Sentence</b>   |           |