

5 paragraphs

A How-to Guide for Parents 5 Paragraph Essay

Check-off List

First Paragraph

Hook (opposite point of view works well.)

4+ sentences talking about the hook

Transition Word

Thesis Sentence = Topic + opinion + Idea 1 + Idea 2 + Idea 3 (one sentence)

Last sentence of paragraph 1

Look for repeating words/change

8+ sentences per paragraph

Capitals and periods

Decide who you are writing to.

Use transition words. Informational essays have about 5 per paragraph.

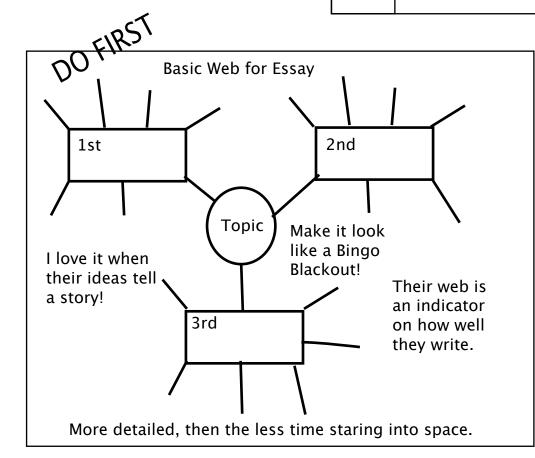
Type everything

Change verbs for better writing

Lots of commas

Details when discribing

At least 40 three-syllable words



Concluding Paragraph

Repeat all your ideas so that your audience remembers what you are trying to get across.

1st- The topic and vour opinion 2nd- First idea with definition of the idea 3rd-Second idea with definition of the idea 4th- Third idea with definition of the idea 5th- Punch Line with an exclamation mark!

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