Brainstorm Organize Topic Sentence Evidence Conclusion

BOTEC Template

Essay Question:


BRAINSTORM your ideas here.
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 
6. 

ORGANIZE: Choose at least 3 ideas from your brainstorm list above that relate best to the essay question:
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 

TOPIC SENTENCE: Create a topic sentence that introduces your entire essay.


EVIDENCE: list each of your chosen ideas above and add at least one example for each idea:
Idea #1: 
Example: 
Example: 
Idea #2: 
Example: 
Example: 
Idea #3: 
Example: 
Example: 
Idea #4: 
Example: 
Example:
EVIDENCE: Now turn the ideas and examples into full sentences that follow your topic sentence.

CONCLUSION: Create a concluding sentence that summarizes your entire essay.