

Outline for Pompeii
6th Grade English

Name _____

I. Introduction Topic Sentence: _____

A. CD _____

1. CM _____

2. CM _____

B. CD _____

1. CM _____

2. CM _____

C. CD _____

D. THESIS: _____

II. Body of Information on Topic

A. Topic Sentence _____

1. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

2. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

3. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

4. Concluding Statement: _____

B. Topic Sentence _____

1. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

2. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

3. CD _____

a. CM _____

b. CM _____

c. CM _____

4. Concluding Statement _____

C. Topic Sentence _____

1. CD _____

a. CM _____

d. CM _____

e. CM _____

2. CD _____

a. CM _____

d. CM _____

e. CM _____

3. CD _____

d. CM _____

e. CM _____

f. CM _____

4. Concluding Statement _____

III. Conclusion- Topic Sentence: _____

A. CD _____

1. CM _____

2. CM _____

B. CD _____

1. CM _____

2. CM _____

C. CD _____

1. CM _____

2. CM _____

D. Concluding Statement _____

THESIS: Sentence with subject of paper and opinion. Usually comes at the end of the Introduction.

TOPIC SENTENCE: First sentence in a Body paragraph. It contains the subject and opinion about the topic of the paragraph.

CD = Concrete Detail: Specific details – examples, facts, descriptions, illustrations, support, proof, evidence, quotations, paraphrasing.

CM = Commentary: Your opinion or comment about something – insight, analysis, interpretation, inference, response, evaluation, examination, explication, and clarification.

Concluding Sentence: last sentence in a paragraph that gives a finished feeling to it.