MELCON Outline for Five Paragraph Essay

- → Attention Getter Possible Starters
- → Ask the reader a rhetorical question
- → Provide a personal anecdote or story
- Give some statistics about the subject
- → Use a famous quote or proverb
- → Write an interesting fact about the subject
- → Challenge the reader
- → Use loaded or charged words related to the subject

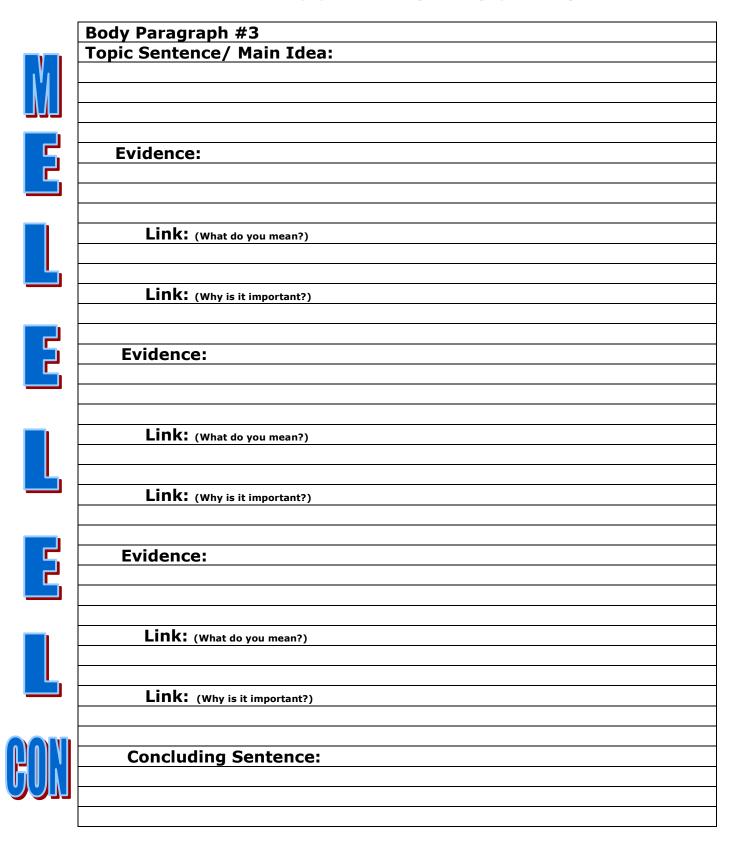
Introduction

Attention Getter:
Develop your attention getter. Give historical or background
information or use a quote.
Address/Acknowledge the opposition:
Thesis Statement (Cover your main points here.)

	Body Paragraph #1				
Topic Sentence/ Main Idea:					
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	Link: (What do you mean?)				
	Link: (Why is it important?)				
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	Body Paragraph #2				
	Topic Sentence/ Main Idea:				
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	Link: (What do you mean?)				
	Link: (Why is it important?)				
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	Link: (Why is it important?)				
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	Concluding Sentence:				

ADDRESS THE OPPOSITION



Conclusion

Concluding Statement:			
Restate your thesis (in different words):			
Ending remark:			

Restate thesis - Use other words to express the main topic.

Make an evaluation or judgment about the topic (without using "I")

Use a closer - same as attention getters.

Leave a lasting impression. Raise an issue related to the topic that may be developed in another essay.

Words to avoid:

❖ I believe	This paper will be about	❖ A lot or a lot
❖ I feel	These are	❖ is like
❖ I think	❖ Those are	❖ is when
In my opinion	There are	❖ is because