Informative Writing Outline Guide

1.) Introduction Paragraph

- Hook
- Thesis Statement
 - Main Idea
 - Supporting Details (body paragraphs)

2.) Body Paragraph One

- Topic Sentence
- Example One
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Two
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Three
 - Transition Phrase
- Closing Sentence

3.)Body Paragraph Two

- Topic Sentence
- Example One
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Two
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Three
 - Transition Phrase
- Closing Sentence

4.) Body Paragraph Three

- Topic Sentence
- Example One
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Two
 - Transition Phrase
- Example Three
 - Transition Phrase
- Closing Sentence

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5.) Conclusion

- Restate Thesis Statment in New Words
 - Main Idea
 - Supporting Detail 1
 - Supporting Detail 2
 - Supporting Detail 3
- Leave the Reader with something to think about

Check list

- 1. Does the paper have a clear main point and supporting details (same as thesis statement)?
- 2. Do all the body paragraphs connect to the thesis statement?
- 3. Does each of your body paragraphs begin with great topic sentences and end with a closing sentences?
- 4. Are your examples connected by transition phrases to help writing flow?
- 5. Does your conclusion restate the thesis statement and leave the reader with something to think about?