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English Education Outline

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### **Introduction Paragraph**

As a college student, there are many different assignments that we must complete. It could be group work, presentations, creating a case study, or even just watching a film. One of the most common assignments however is writing a paper. For me, trying to write an essay is something that is difficult sometimes. The reason for this is that most do not know where to begin or simply just have writer's block. However, once I get my ideas straight and begin creating a flow with my writing it begins to become easier and almost fun. It is fun because the difficulty of expressing my words becomes easier. There are many different unique strategies that students take to complete this assignment.

### **Thesis statement**

This paper will go over some suggestions and advice on how to write a college essay from planning, to excluding those plans and even how to overcome roadblocks when writing.

### **Body Paragraph 1**

- Personally, I would read the directions on the assignment sheet just to get an idea in my head.
  - How do we define essays? Argument? Research? Creative?
  - Begin to talk about different steps to completing each essay
  - Determine your purpose?

- Consider an example assignment sheet? An assignment sheet for this course?

### **Body paragraph 2**

- Logistics or step by step work:
  - Such as writing a piece of the paper every day until it is finished or even maybe spending a day writing the entire paper.
  - I would then be writing the paper a couple of days before it is due. For others, this may seem like a lazy or risky thing to do but I feel like if I begin writing weeks before then I would take the assignment seriously. With that sought of pressure, I would stay focused but at the same time, I won't try to rush it.
  - Suggest to write days when you will work on the assignment in a planner or calendar
    - Talk about how you use google calendar to you advantage for assignments
- Drafting
- Revising
- Editing
- Have someone proofread it

### **Body Paragraph 3**

- Give some tips in order to get over writer's block
  - Take some time off form writing go for a walk, get something to eat, or even take a nap
    - Let your brain relax and take your mind off the assignment for min so it can be refreshed

- Sometimes when you are writing it's better to distract yourself for a sec to let your thoughts come back
- Could also ask yourself the topic question and just answer it out loud and just write down what you say
- Its could be easier to just talk out loud about what you want to say like you having a conversation with someone

### **Conclusion paragraph**

- Rewrite thesis statement
  - This paper will go over some suggestions and advice on how to write a college essay from planning, to excluding those plans and even how to overcome roadblocks when writing.
- Summarize the topics from paragraph 1,2, and 3
- End with a closing statement