ESSAY STRUCTURE

Intro

- Hook
- Introduction to general topic
- Narrowing/focusing of topic
- Thesis: position statement on topic established the direction of the essay

Body #1

1. Topic Sentence
2. Argument and Evidence
   - Supporting evidence
   - Explanations/Arguments about how evidence supports and develops argument/idea stated in the topic sentence
3. Concluding/Transition Sentence
   - Summarizes key idea
   - Links to next section

Body #2

1. Topic Sentence
2. Argument and Evidence
3. Concluding/Transition Sentence

Body #3

1. Topic Sentence
2. Argument and Evidence
3. Concluding/Transition Sentence

Conclusion

- Thesis restatement
- Broadening of topic
- Statement of importance/relevance
- Insightful closure