

KOCW Content Development Application

1. Outline

가. Name of a Class:

Class Name	The Five Paragraph Essay		
Semester	Second semester of 2023	Division	Major () Liberal Art (X)

나. Goal of a Class

(1) Goal of a Class: Help students write effective 5 paragraph essays

(2) Introduction:

This class aims to provide you with a comprehensive understanding of the structure, purpose, and benefits of this popular format of academic writing.

Throughout the course, you will learn how to write a compelling introduction, three supporting paragraphs, and a powerful conclusion that encapsulates your thesis statement. You will also discover the key elements of a successful 5 paragraph essay, including the use of transitional phrases, effective topic sentences, and the inclusion of evidence to support your arguments.

Our primary objective is to equip you with the necessary skills and tools to create well-organized, persuasive essays that will impress your professors and

earn you high marks. Whether you are a high school student preparing for college-level writing, an undergraduate looking to improve your writing skills, or a professional seeking to enhance your communication skills, this class is designed to help you achieve your goals.

By the end of this course, you will have a solid understanding of how to craft a clear, concise, and compelling 5 paragraph essay. You will be able to effectively communicate your ideas and opinions, support your arguments with evidence, and create a strong, cohesive essay that meets the requirements of your academic or professional goals.

2. Weekly Plan

Week	Content (Topic)	Learning Objective	How to Operate		
			Methodology	Material	Reference
1	First Paragraph	Make excellent theses and hooks.	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example theses and hooks.	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
2	Support	Finding logical ways to make an argument	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example logic and support.	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
3	Conclusion	Learn how to restate your thesis, give a strong summary, and end it on a clincher	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example conclusion paragraphs and full essays.	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
4	Devil's Advocate	Think like your enemies to overcome them	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example arguments with worksheets	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
5	Sources	Using relevant, recent graphs, charts, and sources to strengthen your argument - MLA	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example sources	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile

6	Death Penalty	Look at both sides of the debate to see how to make an effective argument	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Specific essays arguing for and against the death penalty	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
7	Rewrites	Learn how to rewrite effectively with peer and expert help	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow up.	Example drafting	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
8	MIDTERM EXAM		Multiple choice exam	Exam on first half of class	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
9	Tone	Not all writing has to be dry and academic. Find out when and how to use humor or a casual tone.	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	A group of comedic essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
10	Your Story	Write an essay based on your life	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example personal essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
11	Your Field	Write an essay based on your major	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example academic essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
12	Your experience	Write an essay based on your life experience	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example experience essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
13	Your Curiosity	Write an essay on a topic you want to know more about	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example nonstandard Essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
14	You the Citizen	Write an essay based on what you think needs to change in the world	Teacher Lecture followed by student tasks and follow-up	Example citizenship essays	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile
15	FINAL EXAM	Complete your portfolio	Grade exam based on 5 paragraph rubric	Complete portfolio	Mastering the 5-Paragraph Essay - Zile

※ You can freely complete the content sections based on the feature of the class.

3. How are you going to use your class?

For a credit class (), For a non-credit class (x), For a public view ()

4. Expected Outcome

Students will learn about academic writing standards and be able to spit out great 5 paragraph essays in the proper format with MLA handbook sourcing guidelines