

DBQ Pre-Writing

Statement of Contextualization: (Situates the argument by explaining the broader historical events, developments, or processes immediately relevant to the question.)

Paragraph 1

Thesis Statement: (Answer prompt and introduce groupings based on contradiction, corroboration, or qualification)

Paragraph 2: Topic sentence introducing first connection between documents.

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Evidence Beyond the Documents: Provides an example or additional piece of specific evidence beyond those found in the documents to support or qualify the argument.

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Paragraph 3: Topic sentence introducing second connection between documents.

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Paragraph 4: Topic sentence introducing third connection between documents.

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Complex Analysis/Synthesis: Demonstrate a complex understanding through a variety of ways, such as: Explaining nuance of an issue by analyzing multiple variables; Explaining relevant and insightful connections within and across periods; confirming the validity of an argument by corroborating multiple perspectives across themes; Qualifying or modifying an argument by considering diverse or alternative views or evidence.