

English 11 Essay's

Things to think about:

1. Firstly we will discuss topic as a group, then you should have an understanding of the topic, which will allow you to **brainstorm.**
2. Next, you need to group your brainstormed ideas into **three areas**; these will be your three main body paragraphs.
3. Complete an outline
4. Rough draft – get it all out and don't worry
5. **Main body paragraph must have's – these are your 8 sentences for each main body paragraph:**
 - a. Topic sentence
 - b. Main detail #1 on this topic
 - c. Example/evidence
 - d. Main detail #2 on this topic
 - e. Example/evidence
 - f. Main detail #3 on this topic
 - g. Example/Evidence
 - h. Concluding sentence
6. Main body paragraph things to think about including, if not at first then during your edit:
 - a. Vocabulary
 - b. Adjectives - describing, identifying, or quantifying words. An adjective usually precedes the noun or the pronoun which it modifies.
 - i. The **truck-shaped** balloon floated over the treetops.
 - ii. Mrs. Morrison papered her **kitchen** walls with **hideous** wall paper.
 - iii. The **small** boat foundered on the **wine dark** sea.
 - iv. The **coal** mines are **dark** and **dank**.
 - c. Does it have eight sentences?
 - d. Did you include any figurative language (simile, metaphor, assonance, alliteration, oxymoron's, etc)
7. Self edit
8. Hand in rough draft for Tanya to edit
9. I will hand it back for you to redo with "things to think about" or with very clear corrections
10. Look at the rubric and make sure you have it all covered