**THE FIVE PARAGRAPH ESSAY
(Argumentative)**

**Hook**

**Summary of
Argument Points**

**Thesis/Claim**

**Point – Turn your first point of your thesis into topic sentence**

**Evidence – Cite evidence from a reliable source**

**Explanation – Explain how the evidence above supports your point**

**Link – Conclude this paragraph and link to the next paragraph**

 **Supporting
 Paragraph 1**

 **Repeat Evidence and
 Explanation**

 **Supporting
 Paragraph 2**

**Point – Turn your second point of your thesis into topic sentence**

**Evidence – Cite evidence from a reliable source

Explanation – Explain how the evidence above supports your point
Link – Conclude this paragraph and link to the next paragraph**

 **Repeat Evidence and
 Explanation**

 **Counterclaim
 Paragraph**

**On the other hand some people say… (counterclaim)

This point of view makes sense because… (evidence/reasoning to support counterclaim)

However… (rebuttal)

Therefore…**

 **Thesis Restated

Summarize Key
Evidence

Call to Action**