

Basic Format for Social Studies Essay

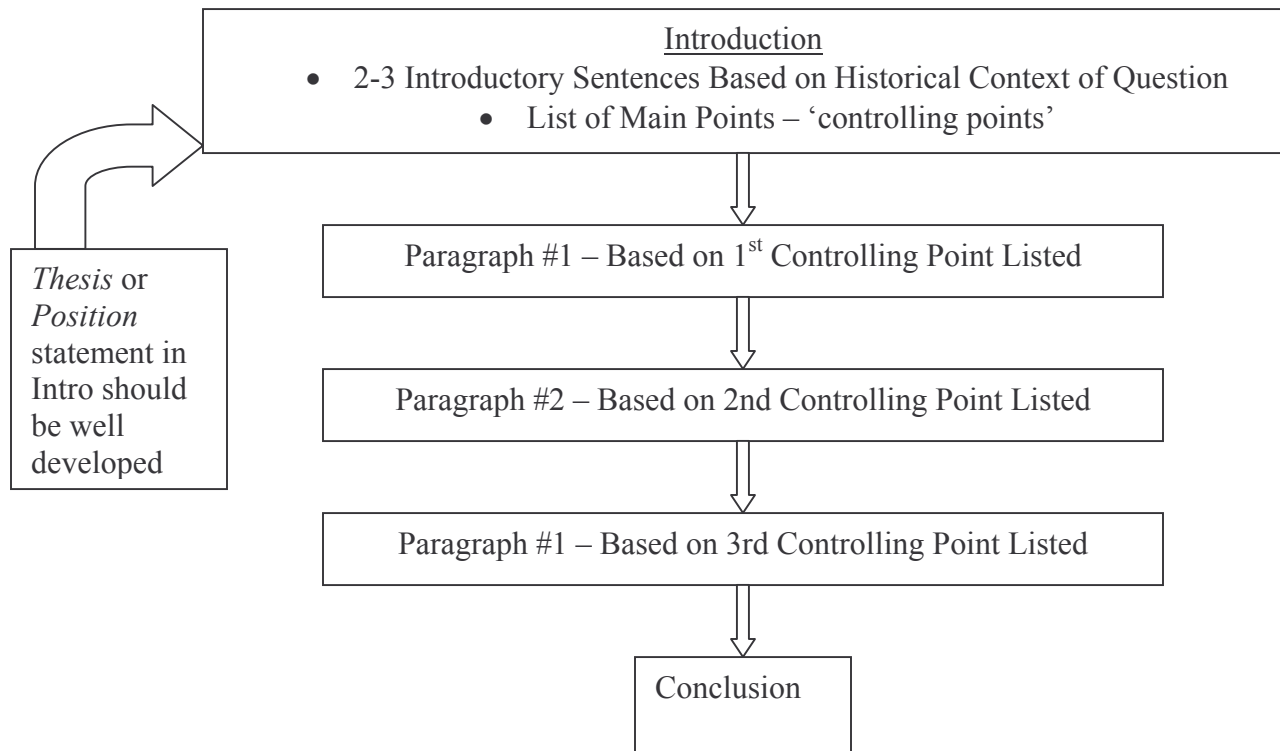
Terms students should be able to use:

Define Describe Interpret
Identify Explain Discuss
Compare Contrast

New terms to be introduced:

Evaluate
Assess

General Essay Model –further refinement of the 5-paragraph model



Emphasis will be placed on the introduction...

- Development of a SOLID thesis across multiple types of essays
- Refine and perfect the funnel concept
- Strive for clear controlling points
- Introduce transitions
- DBQ's will work on development of outside information
- In DBQ response, not being controlled by documents (listing them)