Argument Essay Format

***Your essay will be five paragraphs in length. You will need:***

***Introduction***

* ***Hook***
* ***Background on the topic***
* ***Claim***

***Body Paragraphs (3)***

* ***3 clear reasons (for or against)***
* ***Each reason needs 2 pieces of evidence***
* ***Make sure to explain how the evidence supports your claim***
* ***Consider the opposing side (counterclaim), then add your rebuttal in the last body paragraph.***

***Conclusion***

* ***Circles back to hook***
* ***Offers a fresh perspective***
* ***Sum up all points of essay***
* ***End with a powerful statement***

***\*You will need evidence from at least two articles at least two videos and the Skype session.***

***\*\* The more evidence, the better the essay!***