

Format of the DBQ

Introduction

Contextualization

Thesis

Body Paragraph w/documents (2 or 3 body paragraphs)

Topic Sentence

Use of Documents (6 total)

- Describe/Support Thesis with Document (doc #).
- Annotate for POV, A, P, or HS
- Answer how this Doc Evidence supports your Thesis.

Repeat 2-3 x's in this paragraph

Transition/Clincher Sentence

Beyond the Document Evidence Paragraph

What additional evidence NOT related to the documents, and NOT used in Contextualization, further support your thesis? This can be presented as an argument or counter-argument.

Substantiate your HE with additional HE support & answer HOW this connects to the prompt.

Conclusion

Answer your original thesis argument. Present a counter-argument or connect to the broader history.