**5 Paragraph Essay Outline Argumentative**

**Introduction paragraph (ties to your concluding paragraph)**

1. **Topic sentence that will draw in your reader. This is your overall claim/thesis**
2. **Subtopic 1 (This will be the topic of 2nd paragraph).**
3. **Subtopic 2 (This will be the topic of 3rd paragraph).**
4. **Subtopic 3 (This will be the topic of 4th paragraph).**
5. **Concluding sentence. Restate your topic sentence using different words**

**First Body Paragraph CERJ**

**1. Restate what subtopic 1 is. (This is your claim/thesis for this paragraph).**

**2. Smoothly incorporate evidence in this sentence.**

**3. The reasons your evidence is important here.**

**4. Justification for your evidence here.**

**5. Transition word and restate your topic sentence (claim/reason)**

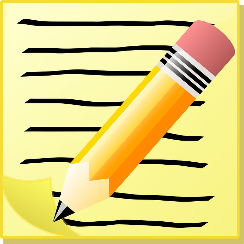
**Second Body Paragraph CERJ**

1. **Restate what subtopic 2 is. (This is your claim/thesis for this paragraph).**
2. **Smoothly incorporate evidence in this sentence.**
3. **The reasons your evidence is important here.**
4. **Justification for your evidence here.**
5. **Transition word and restate your topic sentence (claim/reason)**

**Third Body Paragraph CERJ**

1. **Restate what subtopic 3 is. (This is your claim/thesis for this paragraph).**
2. **Smoothly incorporate evidence in this sentence.**
3. **The reasons your evidence is important here.**
4. **Justification for your evidence here.**
5. **Transition word and restate your topic sentence (claim/reason)**

**Concluding Paragraph (ties to your intro paragraph)**

1. **Restate the claim (using different words).**
2. **Restate subtopic one (using different words).**
3. **Restate subtopic two (using different words).**
4. **Restate subtopic three (using different words).**
5. **Restate your concluding statement.**