

## STRUCTURE FOR OPINION ESSAY

**Introduction**

- General Sentences
- SBFS: Opinion
- Guide: Three Reasons

**Body P-1**

- BFS: Reason 1 (unsupported fact)
- SS 1-3: facts / examples / details to support Reason 1; these can be statistics, expert opinion, or specific examples you know personally

**Body P-2**

- BFS: Reason 2 (unsupported fact)
- SS 1-3: facts / examples / details to support Reason 1; these can be statistics, expert opinion, or specific examples you know personally

**Body P-3**

- BFS: Reason 3 (unsupported fact)
- SS 1-3: facts / examples / details to support Reason 1; these can be statistics, expert opinion, or specific examples you know personally

**Conclusion**

- Summary: repeat opinion and three reasons
- Final Thought (not the same as SBFS!)

## DETAILED OUTLINE FOR OPINION ESSAY

### INTRODUCTION:

Idea for General Sentences: \_\_\_\_\_

Super Big Fat Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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Three (Paragraph) Topics for Guide: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_

### BODY PARAGRAPH 1:

Big Fat Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Idea for Supporting Sentence 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Ideas for Facts/Examples/Details \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_

Idea for Supporting Sentence 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Ideas for Facts/Examples/Details \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_

Idea for Supporting Sentence 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Ideas for Facts/Examples/Details \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_