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Outline for Okavango River Delta Essay

I. Introduction: Sets up your paper for the reader. Include necessary background and both sides of the argument before your thesis.

Topic Sentence:

Background: Use information from the back of Final Assessment Sheet.

Thesis: Should the pipeline be built and why? (Include an overview of your reasoning.)

II. Body Paragraph 1: Use the movie as your evidence to support your thesis.

Topic Sentences:

Evidence: Use APA format. “(Author’s last name, Year of Publication)”

Analysis: What can you conclude based on your evidence? How does this support evidence support your thesis?

III. Body Paragraph 2: Use at least 2 sources you found at home as evidence to support your thesis.

Topic Sentences:

Evidence: Use APA format. "(Author's last name, year of publication)" or "(web address, date cite was accessed)."

Analysis: What can you conclude based on your evidence? How does this support evidence support your thesis?

IV. Body Paragraph 3: Use the results from your 2 soil tests as evidence to support your thesis.

Topic Sentences:

Evidence: Use APA format. "(Your last name, Year you conducted the lab)"

Analysis: What can you conclude based on your evidence? How does this support evidence support your thesis?

V. Body Paragraph 4: Use the primary source data as your evidence to support your thesis.

Topic Sentences:

Evidence: Use APA format. “(Author’s last name, Year of Publication)”

Analysis: What can you conclude based on your evidence? How does this support evidence support your thesis?

VI. Conclusion:

- *Revisit your thesis. Should the pipeline be built?*
- *Summarize the four main pieces of evidence (one from each body paragraph).*
- *What next steps should be considered?*