

Read pages 1148 – 1152 and 1159 (5.4) Problem/Solution

11/8 – pg44or45 – Outline of a Persuasive Problem/Solution Essay

Introduction Paragraph	Hook your readers' attention and make them emotionally feel for your issue. One great way is with an anecdote. State clearly what the problem is. State clearly what your solution is (your claim/thesis).
Body Paragraph 1	Describe and explain the problem and why it needs to be solved. Explain the causes and effects . Present evidence to prove it is a problem.
Body Paragraph 2	Describe and explain your solution . Be specific. Provide evidence to prove it will help solve the problem.
Body Paragraph 3	Consider that someone may disagree with you and think of what counter-claim they might offer. Prove that this counter-claim is not valid and that your solution is.
Conclusion	Make people excited about solving the problem. Call them to action. Summarize your argument briefly. Repeat or rephrase your thesis.

Pg 45 or 46 – 11/9 – Global Warming Research Notes

- 1 - What causes global warming?
- 2 – What are the effects of global warming?
- 3 – How can we decrease energy usage?

COPY NOTES BELOW FROM THE WEBSITES

Pg 46 and/or 47 – 11/10 – Global Warming Body Paragraphs 1 & 2

Using your notes on the previous pages, follow the **outline and write the first two body paragraphs of your persuasive essay on global warming.**