

# Narrative Essay Outline

Introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A short hook that brings the reader into the moment</li><li>• Thesis that shows the main point of the story</li><li>• Quick notes on the setting and the characters</li></ul>
Body Section 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exposition: where the situation begins</li><li>• Details needed to understand what comes next</li></ul>
Body Section 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rising action: the steps that move the story forward</li><li>• The change or pressure that leads toward the main event</li></ul>
Body Section 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Climax: the central moment of the experience</li><li>• Immediate result of that moment</li></ul>
Conclusion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The insight you gained</li><li>• A brief, direct explanation that reinforces the takeaway of the story</li></ul>