

Title

Background Information

Give background information about some of the big ideas that lead into your main event. For example: segregation, World War II, the Great Depression

Thesis

1-3 sentence that argue a main point and includes all or most of the 5 W's, the significance of your topic in history and connect to the theme.

Main Argument

The heart of your project and center of the project. Focus on the main event, how it happened, who was involved and why. Often times, this is a great place to support relation to the theme.

Impact

Give the short term impact of the main event. What happened in the weeks, months or maybe even years after?

Build Up

More specific information people will need to know to understand your thesis. Include events that directly lead to your main set of events.

"So What?"/Legacy

What is the long term impact? Why do we still talk about this today? This is a good place to include something about how your topic ties to today.