

EXAMPLE

Informative Theme Writing

Name: _____

Date: _____

SUBTOPIC SEQUENCE

P.O.V.

TENSE

Linking

3

Present

TOPIC:

TOWER DIAGRAM

Atticus Finch

INTRODUCTION:

Introductory Option:

Casper Milquetoast

Introductory Details:

- ① Widower, 2 children
- ② Alabama / 1930s
- ③ Attorney
- ④ Quote, p. 118

BODY PARAGRAPH

Order

3

Main Idea:

Good citizen

Sequence

DETAILS

(pp. 139-140)

- ② Appointed to defend Tom Robinson
- ① State representative
- ③ Mob of men at jail
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CONCLUSION:

Concluding Option:

Children are convinced—he's special

BODY PARAGRAPH

Order

1

Main Idea:

Good Father

Sequence

Linking

DETAILS

- ① Model-Quote, p. 366
- ③ Honest-Quote, p. 116
- ② Teaches lessons
- ④ Stays silent
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BODY PARAGRAPH

Order

2

Main Idea:

Good neighbor

Sequence

Time

DETAILS

- ① Mr. Radley dying, p. 15
- ② Boo Radley plays, p. 65
- ③ Miss Madie's fire, p. 93
- ④ Sick dog, p. 127
- ⑤ Mrs. Dubose, p. 149

Concluding Details:

- ① Miss Maudie's quotes, p. 130
- ② Everyone stands to show respect
- ③ Worthy of respect
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