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**Outline**

**I. Introduction (1 paragraph):**

1. **Hook (Question, Anecdote, Quote, Statistic, Surprising Idea or Fact, Comparison)**

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1. **Background/Topic (Brief description of last year)**

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1. **Thesis (Your idea or argument in one sentence)**

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**II. Body (1-3 paragraphs)**

1. **Topic Sentence (first strength/weakness)**

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* 1. **Supporting Details or Example**

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1. **Topic Sentence (second strength/weakness)**

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* 1. **Supporting Details or Example**

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1. **Topic Sentence (third strength/weakness)**

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* 1. **Supporting Details or Example**

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**III. Conclusion (1 paragraph):**

1. **Restate your thesis. Then, discuss what you learned.**

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1. **Goals for this year (at least three)**
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   2. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   3. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
2. **Big Picture (Views on Education and “Mission Statement”)**

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