**RSVCP Outline name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

1. INTRODUCTION
	1. Introduce the debate:
	2. State your stance (thesis):
2. Verification 1
	1. Topic Sentence:
	2. Context:

* 1. Quote/paraphrase:

* + 1. Commentary/analysis:

* 1. Transition:
1. Verification 2
	1. Topic Sentence:

* 1. Context:

* 1. Quote/paraphrase:

* + 1. Commentary/analysis:
	1. Transition:
1. Counter Claim
	1. Topic Sentence:

* 1. Counter Claim:

* 1. Refutation of the counter claim:

* + 1. Quote/paraphrase supporting the refutations:

* 1. Transition:
1. Conclusion
	1. Topic Sentence:
	2. Summarize and extend your argument:

* 1. Prove the importance of the writer’s position/stance:

TRANSITION WORDS

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| To indicate more information:Besides, furthermore, in addition, indeed, in fact, moreover | To indicate an example:For example, for instance, in particular, particularly, specifically, to demonstrate |
| To indicate cause or reason:As, because, due to, for, since, for the reason that | To compare or contrast:Although, however, in comparison, in contrast, on the other hand, yet, whereasSimilarly, likewise, nevertheless |
| To indicate a purpose or reason:In order to, with this in mind, so, so that, in hope that | To conclude:Given these facts, hence, therefore, thus, so |