

Planning Sheet: 25-mark Essay

Structure	Topic	AO1 Knowledge & understanding 5 marks	AO2 Analysis 10 marks	AO3 Evaluation 10 marks
Introduction	Define	Define your key terminology, or redefine some of the question.		
	Discuss	Outline what you're going to say.		
	Direction	Say which side is more convincing.		
Point 1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is a fact • This is my understanding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Because • This leads to • This is in comparison to • This is a synoptic link 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therefore • Thus • This argument is strong because
Point 2		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is a fact • This is my understanding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Because • This leads to • This is in comparison to • This is a synoptic link 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therefore • Thus • This argument is strong because
Point 3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is a fact • This is my understanding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Because • This leads to • This is in comparison to • This is a synoptic link 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therefore • Thus • This argument is strong because
Conclusion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On the basis of the argument presented in this essay, [...] is more convincing. • [...] has some strengths, but the argument that [...] is stronger because... 			

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