PERSUASIVE AND ARGUMENTATIVE ESSAYS

PEAS

**P**
Position
Pick the side you wish to advocate

**E**
Evidence
Gather facts, statistics, and quotes on both sides of the issue

**A**
Argument
Use an analogy, draw comparisons and illustrate

**S**
Solution
Summarize with a plea or recommendation

In a persuasive or argumentative essay, you try to convince others to agree with your facts, share your values, and accept your argument and conclusions.

**The persuasive essay has the following:**

1. Introduction paragraph
2. Body paragraph
3. Opposing view paragraph
4. Concluding paragraph

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