

DBQ Essay Outline Guide

(NAME AND DATE)

Working Title: _____

Paragraph #1

Grabber

Background

Stating the question with key terms defined

Thesis and road map

Paragraph #2

Baby Thesis for bucket number one

Evidence: supporting detail with reference to specific document(s)

Argument: connecting evidence to the thesis

Paragraph # 3

Baby Thesis for bucket number two

Evidence

Argument

Paragraph #4

Baby Thesis for bucket number three

Evidence

Argument

Paragraph #5

Conclusion: Statement of main idea, along with a fresh insight or wrinkle