

## **Basic Outline Template (Linear)**

“Title of the Essay” and Author

### **Main Idea or Thesis:**

#### **I. Main Point 1:**

##### **A. Supporting Idea 1:**

1. Details/Examples/Quotes/Analysis:
2. Other Details/Examples/Quotes/Analysis:

##### **B. Supporting Idea 2:**

#### **II. Main Point 2:**

##### **A.**

- 1.
  - 2.
- (3, 4, 5...)

##### **B.**

- 1.
  - 2.
- (3, 4, 5...)

#### **III. Main Point 3:**

##### **A.**

##### **B.**

##### **C.**

#### **IV. Main Point 4:**

##### **A.**

##### **B.**

(D, E, F,...)