

Hero Essay Type 3 Writing

FCA's:

1. Properly formatted introductory paragraph (L.I.S.T.) (10 pts)
2. Developmental paragraphs that support the thesis (10 pts)
3. Transitional expressions (5 pts)

Marking:

pink/orange highlight the thesis in the introductory & concluding paragraphs

yellow highlight inform sentences and the transitional expressions & ideas

green numbering of developmental paragraphs with corresponding

numbers in thesis & concluding paragraph

Rubric:

Introductory Paragraph:

- 10--All elements of LIST in order & complete
- 9--All elements of LIST in order, but some are incomplete (only one sentence lead, no reasons in the thesis, etc.)
- 8--Missing an element of LIST, but other three are complete (or all elements out of order)
- 7--Missing an element of LIST & others are incomplete
- 6--Only a few sentences of introduction, not really a full paragraph

Developmental Paragraphs:

- 10--3-5 complete paragraphs on distinct topics that are all connected directly to the thesis (they each show why this person is a hero)
- 9--3-5 complete paragraphs with slight overlap in topics but all directly connected to the thesis
- 8--3-5 not quite complete paragraphs on distinct topics or complete but not directly connected to the thesis
- 7--3-5 paragraphs on overlapping topics, not quite directly connected to the thesis
- 6--3 incomplete paragraphs on overlapping topics

Transitions:

- 5--Connections between paragraphs through ideas in the sentences & use of transitional expressions throughout the essay
- 4--Connections between paragraphs through use of transitional expressions throughout the essay
- 3--Simple use of transitional expressions at the beginning of each paragraph

