

Point by Point - Compare/Contrast Outline

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Thesis Statement:

Write a statement that shows that you will focus on the similarities or differences between two subjects.

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Supporting Point 1:

Identify the first criterion you will use to compare or contrast the subjects of your essay. Write a topic sentence that includes the criteria and both subjects.

Topic sentence:

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Criterion 1:	
Subject 1:	Subject 2:

Supporting Point 2:

Identify the second criterion you will use to compare or contrast the subjects of your essay. Write a topic sentence that includes the criteria and both subjects.

Topic sentence:

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Criterion 2:	
Subject 1:	Subject 2:

Supporting Point 3:

Identify the third criterion you will use to compare or contrast the subjects of your essay. Write a topic sentence that includes the criteria and both subjects.

Topic sentence:

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Criterion 3:	
Subject 1:	Subject 2:

Conclusion:

What conclusions can you make to summarize your points?

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