

WRT 205

Synthesis Essay Outline Assignment

Directions: Since you are just starting to formulate Essay 1, this is an informal outline. There are two parts, a topic proposal section and an outline or plan. This should be at least one full page, double-spaced.

1. Topic proposal section. Describe the problem or issue you plan to talk about in the essay. Tell me why you think this is an important issue to focus on for the paper.
2. Outline/plan section. List the texts you want to use, along with a few key flashpoints (use page numbers and/or quotations) from **each** text that you are thinking about using in the paper. Lastly, let me know the title & author of the outside source(s) you are considering for this paper.