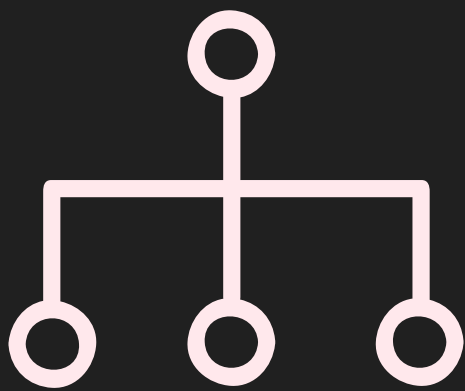


how to make the EE writing process easier for yourself



1- create a mindmap

Just jot down all the ideas that come to your head on paper. It doesn't have to look pretty or neat.



2- discuss and choose the right topic

Picking a topic and a subject that you are passionate about makes a huge difference.



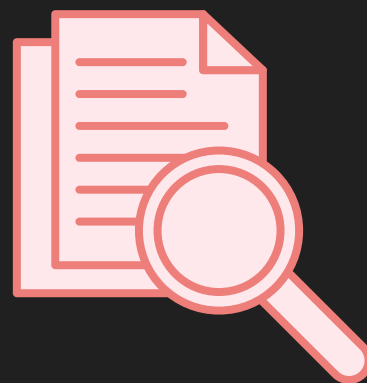
3- put down the headings

If it is an argumentative essay, decide the headings that you would want to use to put down the relevant information.



4- find relevant studies

After the headings are in place, find relevant studies that support your argument under those headings and studies that refute it as well. (eg: 2 supporting and 2 refuting)



5- analysis and evaluation

After each heading, make sure you add a mini conclusion of sorts that summarises the whole argument under the heading. Add the pros and cons of each study for the critical thinking aspect.



6- feedback

When your teacher gives the feedback, work on it as soon as possible. The more you delay it, the more you will struggle while writing the updated version because you won't be in the "flow"



7- utilize the summer break

As nerdy as it sounds, sit and complete a major chunk of the extended essay in the summer break. Do the literature review and then the main body of the essay. Pick up one study per day, analyze it, summarise it, evaluate it and write it down in your draft.

