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**Subject Outlines for Word Search Papers**

A subject outline gives a general idea of your paper’s organization and key ideas. It shows that you have a clear idea of where you want to take us in your paper, and how you plan to do that. It is not written in complete sentences.

Here is what I DON’T Want – An outline like this tells me absolutely NOTHING about how you are focusing your research.

1. Introduction
2. Body Paragraphs
   1. Dictionary and Thesaurus
   2. Shakespeare
   3. Myth
   4. Book of Quotations
   5. Bible
   6. Newspaper Article
   7. Interviews
   8. Poem and Song
3. Conclusion

Here are example which are acceptable

Thesis: CURIOSITY: Both good and bad can be created from curiosity, so we must be cautious and determine when we should follow our curiosity because how we choose to do so can change our lives dramatically.

1. Introduction

* Use saying “Curiosity killed the cat” to portray negative results of curiosity
* Discuss people’s favorite inventions such as cars, televisions, and cell phones to portray positive results of curiosity

1. Defining curiosity

* State Merriam-Webster’s and Thesaurus.com’s definitions and elaborate
* Compare and contrast the dictionary definitions and the thesaurus synonyms

1. “Dark side” of curiosity

* Myth about Pandora’s Box – curiosity can cause death in extreme cases
* Song “As Blood Runs Black” about Hester Prynne – decisions made by curiosity can cause you to be looked upon with shame or outcasted
* Article – curiosity can make you do stupid things/get in trouble with the law

1. “Bright side” of curiosity

* Quotation – without curiosity, advancements aren’t made/many things aren’t created
* Interview with Bob Pope – curiosity can lead you to best decision of your life
* Interview with Al Hertsenberg – curiosity can make your faith in God grow stronger

1. How curiosity can change our life’s path

* Interview with Bob Pope – curiosity can lead you to do things you had never even considered doing, such as becoming a Marine
* Bible, 2 Timothy – curiosity can lead people to question the previously undisputed existence of God, which can completely change the way you live
* New Shakespeare play – example of how curiosity changed a person’s life

1. Conclusion

* Curiosity can lead you down a good or evil path
* Without it we would not be “human” rather we would be “machine” because we would do the same thing again and again without wanting to try something new
* Use Harry Potter movie quote to reinforce thesis

Thesis: SILENCE – Silence can be appropriate at times and inappropriate at other times, and we must learn when each is acceptable.

1. Introduction
   1. Many people have their own opinions on when to be silent or speak out
   2. We must learn from experience when silence or speaking out is appropriate
2. Silence definition and synonyms
   1. Dictionary definition and synonyms from thesaurus (address the meaning of the word)
3. Bible verse
   1. We must figure out when to be silent or loud: “a time to speak and a time to be silent”
4. Song and Quote give examples of negative silence
   1. Both the song and the quote have negative connotations about silence
   2. “Car Radio” by Twenty One Pilots--silence is violent and can lead to over thinking
   3. Quote explains that lies are often told in silence
5. Times when silence is appropriate
   1. “American Sniper” article review tells of silence to show respect
   2. When it is quiet during Church you have a better feeling of God’s presence because there is no distractions- interview with grandmother
   3. Movie Theatres: silence shows respect to those enjoying the film- interview with teacher
6. Times when we are supposed to be quiet but it is hard
   1. Television Show – Silent Library- try to remain silent to win money
   2. Shakespeare- Tempest – told to be quiet
   3. Myth
7. Times when we must speak out
   1. On Abortion- people need to know it is morally wrong- interview with teacher
   2. Equal rights for all- interview with grandma
8. Conclusion
   1. My personal opinion on how silence has affected me both positively and negatively
   2. We must learn through experience when to be silent and when to speak up

Thesis: PASSION—Everyone in the world has a passion for something, but how do people view their passion, as harmonious, obsessive, or with pride?

1. Introduction
2. Passion is everywhere in this world
3. People have passions for objects
4. Defining passion
5. A strong and barely controllable emotion dictionary with anger, emotion, and intensity thesaurus
6. Passion causes disharmony
7. Passion causes death between people- King Arthur and his Knights (Myth)
8. Passion affects behavior- Brutus to Cassius, Julius Caesar (Shakespeare)
9. The Lord is fond of the morally correct people (Bible reference)
10. Passion creates pride and ambition
11. God can help you with your ambition song
12. Passion and moral behavior in achievement settings article
13. Coach K was called to be a great basketball coach, he was given pride TV show
14. Passion can be the focal point of your life and it drives you
15. Passion pushes you to be your best harmoniously interview with teacher
16. Passion makes you want to set an example for others interview with grandmother
17. It makes you grow wiser over time quote
18. Conclusion
19. Passion is best when people are benefiting others while getting joy for themselves
20. Pride and passion are intertwined
21. How has your passion shaped you?