

## PERSUASIVE SPEECH OUTLINE TEMPLATE

### I. Introduction

- A. Attention-getter/ teaser:
- B. Speaker Credibility:
- C. Thesis statement:
- D. Preview Statements:
  - First we will...
  - Second we will....
  - And finally we will....

### II. Body

- A. Main Point 1: (Problems-how individuals are negatively impacted):
  - 1. First Problem
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:
  - 2. Second Problem
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:

*Transition Statement:*

- B. Main Point 2 (Causes-what issues contribute to the problems in main point 1):
  - 1. First Cause
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:
  - 2. Second Cause
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:

*Transition Statement:*

- C. Main Point 3 (Solutions-how can members of the audience help fix the problems outlined in main point 1):
  - 1. First Solution
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:
  - 2. Second Solution
    - a. Claim:
    - b. Grounds:
    - c. Warrant:

### III. Conclusion

- A. Review Statement:
- B. Thematic Statement Reminder:
- C. Attention Getter Reminder:

### IV. Work Cited Page (MLA or APA Format)

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