



Introduction: Focus, Controlling Idea, or Thesis Statement—Respond to Prompt

People make decisions that affect others. From texts read or viewed and discussed, select two. Provide some context, explain how the decision made by someone and why, and the effect it had on others or events or themes.

Show a clear relationship between texts or characters chosen and decisions made with themes or resulting effects.

Relevant Evidence From Text #1

- Literary work and character
- Decision made/why/motivation
- Resulting effect on others or event outcome?

Relevant Evidence From Text #2

- Literary work and character
- Decision made/why/motivation
- Resulting effect on others or event outcome?

Conclusion linked to focus or thesis: restate or recap, summarize key points, end with question, advice, insights to ponder—“Come full circle” concluding how these texts or characters are related in some way.



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