

## Outline for *NoodleTools* Notes

- I. YOUR NAME
- II. Introduction
  - a. Hook (My idea card)
  - b. Background Info on the topic
  - c. Specific amendment(s) (the issue relates to and explanation)
  - d. Thesis Statement (Why is the issue controversial?)
  - e. Link to an American value/government principle
- III. Opposing Viewpoint – Topic Sentence
  - a. Support 1 (Explanation and example)
  - b. Support 2 (Explanation and example)
  - c. Support 3 (Explanation and example)
  - d. Concluding Sentence
- IV. Supporting Viewpoint – Topic Sentence
  - a. Support 1 (Explanation and example)
  - b. Support 2 (Explanation and example)
  - c. Support 3 (Explanation and example)
  - d. Concluding Sentence
- V. Conclusion
  - a. Review of why the issue is controversial
  - b. Relate issue to an American political value/government principle
  - c. What conclusions can be drawn about the topic?
- VI. Extra Notecards