**EXPOSITORY ESSAY**

Plan and Write:

1. Figure out what the prompt is asking
2. Plan out what you’re going to write
3. Write your essay
4. Read sample prompt

* Thank about what prompt is asking: PAY ATTENTION TO THE LAST LINE
* EXPLAIN = EXPOSITORY
* GOING TO BE WRITING AN ESSAY ABOUT WHAT? Find topic
* I now know what the prompt is asking..time to plan

1. What has to go into your paper

- **Focus statement**: states what the topic of the essay is

- **2 main ideas**: AKA reasons why the focus statement is true

-**Anecdotes:** are exapmples that prove the main idea

- **Conclusion:** Wrap up the essay by restating the main ideas using synonyms

Make plan:

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