**DBQ Essay Template**

**Introduction:**

**1st Sentence:** Put general idea of Historical Context into a Sentence (Can actually use the first sentence of the Historical Context)

**2nd Sentence**: Take one topic that you will be writing about and give a brief taste.

**3rd Sentence**: Take second topic you will be writing about and give a brief taste.

**4th Sentence**: Combine the ideas and topics of the three sentences above and tell reader what you will be writing about in the rest of the essay.

**Body Paragraph 1**

**In this section you will:**

**- use the information from the documents to answer the tasks.**

**- use outside information to support your answers.**

**- use two documents to support each task**

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**Body Paragraph 2**

**In this section you will:**

**- use the information from the documents to answer the tasks.**

**- use outside information to support your answers.**

**- use two documents to support each task**

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**Conclusion**

**1st Sentence:** Give a brief reintroduction of the Historical Context.

**2nd Sentence:** Reintroduce one of the topics that you covered in the essay with a brief review of what you mentioned in Body Paragraphs.

**3rd Sentence:** Reintroduce one of the topics that you covered in the essay with a brief review of what you mentioned in Body Paragraphs. Examples:

**4th Sentence:** Wrap up paragraph by making an overall summarization of your essay.