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Make the introduction.

Paraphrase the topic statement, use synonyms and different grammar constructions.

Both sides of the arguments.

Arguments for Arguments against While it is true that it mustn't be forgotten that

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There is a dispute....

Three is no agreement ...

It is often argued that

According to

The problem of appears to be a hot question.

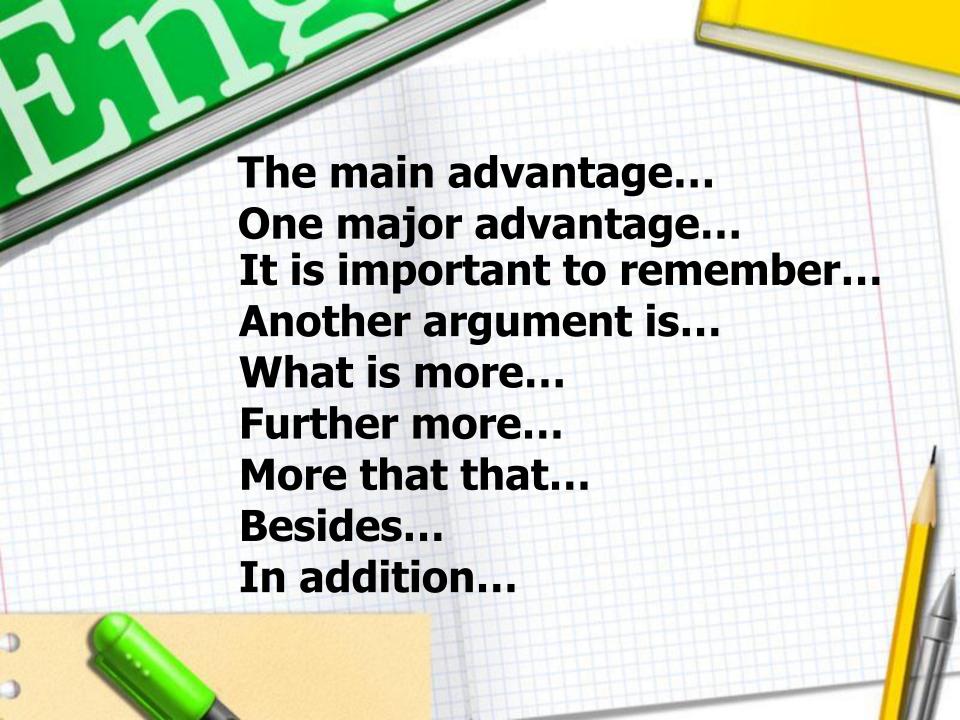


Give arguments for

As for...
To start with...
In fact...
In matter of fact...
One point of view in favour of ...

Actually...
The fact is/The thing is/The point is...
It is not surprising that...
It's well known that...-

If my memory serves me right...
I believe...
As far as I know...
If I am not mistaken...
In my opinion...





Give arguments against.

However ... On the other hand ... **But** ... Nevertheless ... The main disadvantage of ... The main drawback of ... Even though ... One argument against ...

Step 4.

Draw a conclusion

To sum up ... In conclusion I would like to stress ... All in all I believe that ... In general ... To make a long story short...

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