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**Extended Response Paragraph Format:**

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| **Topic sentence**: States your main point in relation to the topic/question you are answering. |  |
| **Concrete Detail/Quote #1**:  Support topic sentence with a strong quote and cite properly. |  |
| **Commentary/ Analysis**: Explain why or how the concrete detail supports your topic sentence. Typically 2-3 sentences in length. |  |
| **Concrete Detail/Quote #2**:  Support topic sentence with a strong quote and cite properly. |  |
| **Commentary/ Analysis:** Explain why or how the concrete detail supports your topic sentence. Typically 2-3 sentences in length. |  |
| Conclusion statement: Wrap up and transition. |  |