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The Outsiders: Writing

Directions: Write a four paragraph essay that answers the following writing prompt. Be sure to use details from the novel(a.k.a quotes) to support your answer. Before you begin writing, you will plan your essay using the outline. You must complete the outline before you begin writing your essay.

Writing Prompt

There were many different characters in the novel, The Outsiders. Write an essay on which character best represents you and why, and also which character least represents you and why. Prove your answer using evidence from your life and the novel.

Outline

Introduction

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Body Paragraph 1

Which character best represents you and why? Use evidence from your life and the novel.

Topic Sentence

Introduce 1st Quote/Example

Quote/Example

Explanation of Quote/Example

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Transition Sentence

Introduce 2nd quote/example

Quote/Example

Explanation of Quote/Example

Name _____

Date _____ Grade _____

Transition Sentence

Introduce 3rd Quote/Example

Quote/Example

Explanation of Quote Example

Concluding Sentence

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Body Paragraph 2

Which character least represents you? Why? Use evidence from your life and the novel.

Topic Sentence:

Introduce 1st Quote/Example

Quote/Example

Explanation of Quote/Example

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Transition Sentence

Introduce 2nd quote/example

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Concluding Sentence

Conclusion
