

# Abortion Argumentative Essay Outline

The following is an abortion argumentative essay outline:

## 1. Introduction

Your introduction should include:

- The definition of abortion. Help the reader understand what abortion is by providing its definition.
- Background information. Give some background information on abortion such as its social aspect to help the reader understand it better.
- Thesis statement. State your claim on the topic. Explain whether you are for or against abortion. The thesis is one sentence long.

## 2. First Body Paragraph

Your first body paragraph should include arguments in favor of or against abortion.

Some arguments in favor of abortion may include:

- Abortion is a right provided for by the constitution.
- It is the right of a woman to decide what happens to her body.
- The Fetus cannot feel any pain during the abortion.
- Abortion is safer when declared legal.

Some arguments against abortion include:

- Abortion means killing.
- The fetus can feel pain during the abortion process.
- Abortion can lead to dangerous health issues to the mother or even death.
- A fetus has the right to life.
- Abortion can have some psychological trauma to the mother.

## 3. Second and Subsequent Body Paragraphs

Your second and subsequent body paragraphs should explain your stand on abortion. You should provide evidence and facts to explain why you have taken that particular stand. Introduce your evidence either in a few words or in a full sentence. Make the readers understand how they should read or interpret the evidence that you have provided. Show how the evidence proves the point that you are bringing across. Finish off your paragraph with a concluding or transition sentence that explains how the topic sentence helps the readers understand your paper's overall claim.

Each body paragraph should address one issue, either in support or against abortion depending on what you chose when writing your thesis statement.

## 4. Final Body Paragraph

Your third body paragraph should give different perspectives and facts related to abortion. For instance, if you choose to write an essay against abortion, you should present the arguments others have in

support of abortion. Be objective when presenting the arguments, then explain why you believe these views are not valid.

Other things you may write in this paragraph include:

- The doctor's perspective regarding abortion.
- What religion and religious scholars think about abortion.
- The political stand regarding abortion.
- Testimony from women who have had an abortion.
- How scholars regard abortion in an ethical perspective.

## **5. Conclusion**

Your conclusion should remind your readers of your argument and supporting evidence. You should emphasize on your take about abortion in your conclusion. Your conclusion should restate the overall claim of your essay and the supporting evidence.

Your conclusion should:

- Restate your introduction. However, it should not talk about the same exact thing as your introduction since this will prove that you have not done enough critical thinking.
- Restate your thesis statement.
- Tell the readers why they should care about your abortion essay.
- Create a sense of movement to a more complex understanding of your essay's subject.
- Serve as your essay's climax.
- Have concrete language to avoid leaving the readers with the impression that your argument was vague and unsure.