



## The Planning Process (Sample Answers)

<p>What will be the scope of your discussion? What will be your goal for the essay? What will your essay deliver?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>2. Focus</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Interpret the topic</li> <li>2. Focus</li> <li>3. Think and Learn</li> <li>4. Organize</li> <li>5. Write a thesis</li> <li>6. Generate a Map/ Detailed outline</li> </ol>
<p>How can you best categorize your ideas into major groups? How will you put your ideas into order? How will you link your ideas together?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>4. Organize</p>	
<p>How will your essay develop? Do all the points support and contribute to the thesis? Do you have enough support, explanation and evidence for your ideas?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>6. Generate a Map/Detailed outline</p>	
<p>What do you need to know? What concepts, examples, and anecdotes could help you? What connections can you find between ideas? What kinds of research information could help you? What ongoing social debates or issues might be useful?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>3. Think and Learn</p>	
<p>What is your task? What key terms will need to be defined?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>1. Interpret the topic</p>	
<p>How does your essay fulfill its goal? What conclusions does your essay make? Does your thesis add something unique? Does your thesis only restate the question?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b></p> <p>5. Write a thesis</p>	