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Outline Step by Step

Title: _____

I. Introduction/Topic sentence: _____

A. Give general information about your picture book, the title, author, 3 interesting facts about the author

B. What are you going to show the reader?

II. Plot and characterizatoin

A. Topic sentence introduces the paragraph and the main character(s) (example: The Lotus Seed is told from the perspective of a young girl who is describing how her Grandmother carried the seed for many years)

B. First, _____

1. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

2. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

C. Next, _____

1. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

2. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

III. Illustrations

A. Topic sentence introducing the paragraph (example: The illustrations used in the book _____ help support and develop the story in many ways) _____

B. First, _____

a. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

b. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

C. Next, _____

a. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

b. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

IV. Text

A. Topic sentence introducing the paragraph (example: There are several ways in which the author uses literary tools...)

B. First, _____

1. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

2. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

C. Next, _____

1. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

2. Explain, give examples, elaborate: _____

V. Conclusion

A. Transition (Spice word) and summarize what you have shown in your paragraphs. _____

