	Introduction Paragraph					Body Paragraph #1							Body Paragraph #2								Conclusion Paragraph			Writing Style and Conventions								
Essay Recording Matrix ***Examine* Essay #1** **Writing Standards➡** **Student Names**	**Introduction Strategy (1)**	**Another Introduction Strategy (1)**	**Thesis Statement (2) clearly states the topic**	**Thesis Statement (2) clearly states the writing purpose**	**Topic Sentence (3) clearly states the main idea of the**	**Topic Sentence (3) clearly responds to the Thesis Statement (2)**	**Major Detail #1 (4) clearly responds to the Topic Sentence (3)**	**Minor Details (5) clearly respond to the Major Detail #1 (4)**	**Major Detail #2 (4) clearly responds to the Topic Sentence (3)**	**Minor Details (5) clearly respond to the Major Detail #2 (4)**	**Variety of Evidence in the (4) and (5) Sentences**	**Quality and Relevance of Evidence in the (4) and (5) Sentences**	**Topic Sentence (3) clearly states the main idea of the**	**Topic Sentence (3) clearly responds to the Thesis Statement (2)**	**Major Detail #1 (4) clearly responds to the Topic Sentence (3)**	**Minor Details (5) clearly respond to the Major Detail #1 (4)**	**Major Detail #2 (4) clearly responds to the Topic Sentence (3)**	**Minor Details (5) clearly respond to the Major Detail #2 (4)**	**Variety of Evidence in the (4) and (5) Sentences**	**Quality and Relevance of Evidence in the (4) and (5) Sentences**	**Thesis Restatement**	**Conclusion Strategy (6)**	**Another Conclusion Strategy (6)**	**Transitions**	**Sentence Variety**	**¶ Indents, Formatting, and Neatness**	**Third Person Active Voice**	**Word Choice**	**Formal Writing**	**Grammar and Usage**	**Punctuation**	**Spelling**	**Citations and Format**