Literary Analysis

Topic Sentence

• Introduce the title of the text and the author, what you will be analyzing (figurative language, tone, conflict, theme, etc.), and what these part of the text shows or highlights to us.

Supporting Sentences

- Provide a context to the example or quote. Set the scene for when, maybe where and under what circumstances this example was given.
- Use a specific example from the text (paraphrase, summary or direct quote)
- Explain how the literary device was identified here, what it means and how it shows or highlights a deeper meaning or understanding of the text.

Wrap up

• Reexamine the topic sentence in a new way.