

Introduction Graphic Organizer

HOOK _____

BACKGROUND INFORMATION (*what is the topic of the essay and why is it important?*)

THESIS _____

The graphic organizer is an inverted triangle with a black outline. It is divided into three horizontal sections. The top section is labeled 'HOOK' and contains two horizontal lines. The middle section is labeled 'BACKGROUND INFORMATION' with a subtitle in italics '(what is the topic of the essay and why is it important?)' and contains seven horizontal lines. The bottom section is labeled 'THESIS' and contains five horizontal lines. The lines are centered within each section and become progressively narrower as they approach the bottom vertex of the triangle.