

# 12 steps to Writing an Essay about anything

You have just watched, read, seen, tasted, heard.... something

1. Write down the 5 most important things you want to talk about this something.

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2. Expand each one of those ideas into a sentence

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3. Now add two sentences to each to explain what you mean
4. Now add something from the film that is an example of what you mean.
5. Now add a sentence where you express an opinion, judgement or evaluation of your main point.
6. Arrange the paragraphs into the most sensible or logical order.
7. Re-read your paragraphs and see if you can make any improvements.
8. Create an Introduction – briefly mentioning what you will write about in your review... you already know this because you've already written it.
9. Now create a conclusion – summarising what you've said and making a final point about it all.
10. Let someone else have a look at your work – see what they have to say
11. Re-read the whole thing to see if it could be any better – make changes if necessary
12. Write out a very neat copy and hand it in.