**Writing Thesis Statements**

**Example:**

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| **Topic Question** | **Should high school students have a curfew?** |
| **Declaration/Opinion on the Topic** |  High school students should have an enforced curfew. |
| **Three Reasons to Support your Opinion** | * Students are less likely to get into trouble if   they are home.
* Students need their rest for school.
* Being behind the wheel of a vehicle during the   early morning hours increases their chances of accidents.
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| **Thesis Statement** | High school students should have an enforced curfew  because students need their rest for school and are less likely to get into   trouble or have accidents if the curfew is enforced. |

**Please fill in the examples below:**

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| **Topic Question** | **Should students be allowed to use iPods throughout   the school day?** |
| **Declaration/ Opinion on the Topic** | **School students can’t use iPods through out the school day.** |
| **Three Reasons to Support your Opinion** | * iPods belongs to the electronic products
* School students should study hard at school
* The electronic products will distract students
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| **Thesis Statement** |  School students shouldn’t use iPods through out the school day because students need study hard at school and iPods belongs to the electronic products, it can distract students. |

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| **Topic Question** | **Should parents have access to their child’s  Facebook/Twitter pages?** |
| **Declaration/Opinion on the Topic** | **I think parents before the visit should be to the child’s consent, if don’t have consent, don’t go to visit.** |
| **Three Reasons to Support your Opinion** | * **Children always will send their lives. Some things they don’t want to share with parents.**
* **When parents visit, they will feel uncomfortable. It belongs to privacy.**
* **They will be suspicious, guessing what parents see.**
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| **Thesis Statement** | **Parents shouldn’t visit the child’s Facebook/Twitter page because children need person space and some things they don’t want to share with their parents, they will guess what parents see if parents visit their pages.** |

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| **Topic Question** | **Should students have to attend school all year long?** |
| **Declaration/Opinion on the Topic** | **Students shouldn’t have to attend school all year long.** |
| **Three Reasons to Support your Opinion** | * **Students should combine exertion and rest.**
* **Teachers work so hard, need to have a rest**
* **Always studying and learning, student online.**
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| **Thesis Statement** | **Students shouldn’t have to attend school all year long because students should combine exertion and rest, he same to the teacher and always studying and learning, student online.** |