

# Persuasive essay: Go to college

Grade 5 Writing Worksheet

**Challenge:** Should everyone try to go to college? Convince your audience!

**Audience:** Current high school student

First, brainstorm what you know about this audience that could help you convince them!

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Then plan your essay with this audience in mind:

## Introduction

**Hook:**

**Background Information:**

**Essay Topic Sentence:**

**Reason #1:**

**Reason #2:**

**Conclusion Sentence:**

### **Body Paragraph #1**

**Reason #1 Topic Sentence:**

**First Supporting Detail:**

**Second Supporting Detail:**

**Counterargument:**

**Conclusion:**

**Body Paragraph #2**

<b>Reason #2 Topic Sentence:</b>
<b>First Supporting Detail:</b>
<b>Second Supporting Detail:</b>
<b>Counterargument:</b>
<b>Conclusion:</b>

**Conclusion:**

<b>Restate your essay topic sentence in new words:</b>
<b>Restate Reason #1 in new words:</b>
<b>Restate Reason #2 in new words:</b>
<b>Include a Counterargument:</b>
<b>Punchline: Write a creative or impactful sentence that wraps up your essay</b>

Then put this all together to write your essay!

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