CIA 4U1 ISU Essay: Essay Outline
Economics: Grade 12 University

	Level 4 (80-100%)	Level 3 (70-79%)	Level 2 (60-69%)	Level 1 (50-59%)
Introduction to Essay Outline Must be in paragraph form.	♦ Excellent one or two introductory theme sentence(s) easing the reader into topic and capturing his/her attention.	♦ Very good one or two introductory theme sentence(s) easing the reader into topic and capturing his/her attention.	♦ Good introductory theme sentence easing the reader into topic and capturing his/her attention.	♦ Introductory sentence needs work.
	♦ Excellent transition sentence connecting introductory theme sentence to the topic.	♦ Very good transition sentence connecting introductory theme sentence to the topic.	♦ Good transition sentence connecting introductory theme sentence to the topic.	♦ Good transition sentence connecting introductory theme sentence to the topic needed.
	♦ Excellent thesis.	♦ Very good thesis.	♦ Good thesis.	♦ Satisfactory thesis needed.
	♦ Excellent sentence stating support for thesis.	♦ Very good sentence stating support for thesis.	♦ Good sentence stating support for thesis.	♦ Good sentence needed.
Body of Outline Must be in point form.	_ Excellent transition sentences used.	_ Very good transition sentences used.	_ Good transition sentences used.	_ Good transition sentences needed.
	_ Excellent evidence in sub-topic to support thesis.	_ Very good evidence in sub-topic to support thesis.	_ Good evidence in sub-topic to support thesis.	_ Evidence in sub-topic needed to support thesis.
	_Excellent reference made to thesis.	_Very good reference made to thesis.	_ Good reference made to thesis.	_ Reference must be made to thesis.
	_ Excellent style of writing.	_ Very good style of writing.	_ Good style of writing.	_ Needs to elevate style of writing.
Conclusion of Essay Outline Must be in paragraph form.	♣ Excellent first sentence.	♣ Very good first sentence.	♣ Good first sentence.	♣ Good first sentence needed.
	♣ Excellent re-statement of thesis	♣ Very good re-statement of thesis	♣ Good re-statement of thesis.	♣ Good re-statement of thesis needed.
	♣ Excellent summary of supporting arguments.	♣ Very good summary of supporting arguments.	♣ Good summary of supporting arguments.	♣ Good summary of supporting arguments needed.
	♣ Excellent last sentence leaving reader with something to think about without introducing new idea.	♣ Very good last sentence leaving reader with something to think about without introducing new idea.	♣ Good last sentence leaving reader with something to think about without introducing new idea.	♣ Good last sentence leaving reader with something to think about without introducing new idea needed.
	♣ Excellent style	♣ Very good style.	♣ Good style.	♣ Good style needed.

Name: _____   Topic: _____

Total: /25 marks

Use this skeleton as a template for your outline. Please type out the whole outline using point form but full sentences and full ideas.

Introductory Paragraph
Paragraph One:

Thematic Idea: A general statement about your topic to hook the reader.
Historical Background: A few sentences to speak of the 5ws and how of your topic.
Controversial Point: Provide an argument to your opinion about your topic. I.e. "Many people believe……"
Thesis Statement: One central argument to defend throughout your paper. "In fact……"
3 supporting sub-topics for thesis: How you will proceed to support your thesis.

Body of Essay
Paragraph Two, Three, and Four:

Transition sentence from previous paragraph: For the first body paragraph, simply introduce the first argument. For body paragraph two, you must make a transition from supporting idea one to supporting idea two. Do the same for the last body paragraph.

Evidence:
1) _____
2) _____
3) _____

For all the evidence provided, do not forget to footnote the source.
Critical analysis of evidence & connection to thesis: _____
Concluding sentence: _____

Conclusion of Essay
Paragraph Five:

Concluding sentence: _____
Restate the thesis: _____
Summarize three supporting points: _____
Positive, moral, lesson learned: _____