Economic Topic Paper (Create a title with your topic)

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Your paper will be written following your outline that you are turning in December 5. Your introduction paragraph needs to include your thesis statement, a definition of economics, and a preview of what is coming in your paper. Then you need a transition sentence that is getting your reader ready for your first body paragraph.

First of all, you are going to start with a transition statement. I have underlined mine for you to see. Then you need to explain the topic of your body paragraph and have at least two supporting points for each body paragraph. You need to cite your sources within the paper. If you are paraphrasing an idea from another work, you only have to make reference to the author and year of publication in your in-text reference, example:

“According to Jones (1998), APA style is a difficult citation format for first-time learners. APA style is a difficult citation format for first-time learners.”

Furthermore, if you are directly quoting from a work, you will need to include the author, year of publication. Introduce the quotation with a signal phrase that includes the author's last name followed by the date of publication in parentheses. According to Jones (1998), "Students often had difficulty using APA style, especially when it was their first time" (p. 199).   Jones (1998) found "students often had difficulty using APA style" what implications does this have for teachers?

Finally, make sure that you are using these as a reference and are putting most of your information in your own words. Do not write a paper that is all quotes!

In conclusion, create a key summary sentence that wraps up the key points you have discussed and how they are connected to economics. You must also include some Biblical integration. Your paper must be at 1000 words. Your total words from quotes must not be longer than 200 words. Word count is not including title page or reference page. You will need to email this paper in to Ms. Riley at rileyk@rbcs.org.

References

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