

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Outlining Your Compare-and-Contrast Essay**

**Thesis/Argument Statement:**

Both \_\_\_\_\_ [Text 1] and \_\_\_\_\_ [Text 2] deal with \_\_\_\_\_ [TOPIC/THEME], but they do so in different ways.

**What are the different parts of the argument that your essay must prove?**



<b>CONTRAST:</b> How does Text 1 deal with the topic/theme? Explain with 2-3 fully-explained pieces of evidence.	<b>CONTRAST:</b> How does Text 2 deal with the topic/theme? Explain with 2-3 fully-explained pieces of evidence.	<b>COMPARE:</b> What do both texts have in common regarding their approach to the topic/theme? Explain with 2-3 fully-explained pieces of evidence.
<b>1.</b>	<b>1.</b>	<b>1.</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>2.</b>	<b>2.</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>3.</b>	<b>3.</b>



**Conclusion:** Ultimately, both texts help us see/realize \_\_\_\_\_ [punchy insight].