***Macbeth* Essay Outline**

**Essay Prompt: How does a decent individual become corrupt? After reading Macbeth and other informational text, write a character analysis in which you explain Macbeth’s demise. Support your discussion with evidence from the text/s.**

1. Introduction
	1. Hook/Attention Grabber: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* 1. Background Information
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		2. ***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***
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	2. Thesis Statement: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Body Paragraph One
	1. Trait/Action/Decision/Other factor that led to Macbeth’s downfall:

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* 1. Explanation of how what you explained in ***a*** led to Macbeth’s downfall:

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* 1. Quotation (include line numbers for your reference): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
1. Body Paragraph Two
	1. Trait/Action/Decision/Other factor that led to Macbeth’s downfall:

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1. Body Paragraph Three
	1. Trait/Action/Decision/Other factor that led to Macbeth’s downfall:

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* 1. Quotation (include line numbers for your reference): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
1. Conclusion
	1. Summary of Key Points: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* 1. Conclusion Statement (for example, how do these facts affect your overall analysis of the character of Macbeth?):

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