

Literary Paragraph

Who is the “strongest” character in the novel?

What do you believe (without saying “I”)? (Don’t forget the author and title!)

What are three reasons you believe it?

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

What’s your STRONGEST reason?

#?

What are THREE quotations to prove this?

Proof #1:

Proof #2:

Proof #3:

****Ok, so we need to use our imagination - 'cause what we’re making here is a**

single body paragraph that has been supposedly taken out of an essay. So answer these with that in mind!

First sentence repeats the thesis (what you believe) and reintroduces the strongest argument (or reason):

Then, give some context (what was going on in the book when this quote took place?) to your 1st quotation which will support your argument (use transition word!!):

Now use your proof:

Take a sentence or two to explain how the quote proves your point and how it supports your argument:

Then, give some context to your 2nd quotation which will support your argument (use transition word):

Now use your proof:

Take a sentence or two to explain how the quote proves your point and how it supports your argument:

Then, give some context to your 3rd quotation which will support your argument (use transition word):

Now use your proof:

Take a sentence or two to explain how the quote proves your point and how it supports your argument:

FINALLY, write a concluding sentence that pulls the paragraph together and links back to thesis:
