

Brockton High School: OPEN RESPONSE STEPS TO FOLLOW

1. READ QUESTION CAREFULLY.
2. CIRCLE OR UNDERLINE KEY WORDS.
3. RESTATE QUESTION AS THESIS (LEAVING BLANKS).
4. READ PASSAGE CAREFULLY.
5. TAKE NOTES THAT RESPOND TO THE QUESTION.

BRAINSTORM & MAP OUT YOUR ANSWER.

6. COMPLETE YOUR THESIS.
7. WRITE YOUR RESPONSE CAREFULLY, USING YOUR MAP AS A GUIDE.
8. STRATEGICALLY REPEAT KEY WORDS FROM THESIS IN YOUR BODY AND IN YOUR END SENTENCE.
9. PARAGRAPH YOUR RESPONSE.
10. REREAD AND EDIT YOUR RESPONSE.