Process Analysis

Getting started and pulling it all together...

Step 1

- Choose an interesting and informative topic. There are a wide variety of topics dealing with an invention, a scientific process, a mechanical process, or a natural process.
- Choose something that you are familiar with and are interested in

Step 2

Divide the process into a few main steps and describe each step clearly, making sure that all essential technical terminology is defined. The pattern of a Process Analysis essay looks like this, with all steps arranged in proper order:

- Introduction
- Step 1
- Step 2
- Step 3
- Conclusion

Step 3

• Show the end result of the process

Introduction

- 1. Lead-in: Introduce the topic in an interesting way.
- 2. **Transition:** Make a transition to the thesis statement.
- 3. **Thesis Statement:** Present thesis statement (your view of the process).

Process Thesis Statements

- Even though many people believe they are ill qualified to start and maintain a home garden, it is actually a fairly simple process.
- In order to succeed in a demanding and competitive job market, it is essential that jobseekers know how to prepare for a successful interview
- Knowing the proper steps for changing a flat tire provides safety and should be essential for all drivers.

The Body

Body Paragraph 1

- **Topic Sentence:** Present the first step.
- **Supporting Details:** Present the details of this step, following the sequence of action.
- **Closing Remarks:** Explain the function of this step. **Body Paragraph 2**
- **Topic Sentence:** Present the second step.
- **Supporting Details:** Present the details of this step, following the sequence of action.
- **Closing Remarks:** Explain the function of this step.

Body Paragraph 3

- **Topic Sentence:** Present the third step.
- **Supporting Details:** Present the details of this step, following the sequence of action.
- **Closing Remarks:** Explain the function of this step.

Conclusion

- Show the result of the process.
- Restate the thesis statement.
- Include interesting or significant closing remarks.