

Prompt:
delivers the task

Character

- revelation

Diction

- word choice/connotation
- dialect
- style

Introduction:
gives author & title,
restates task, and pre-views "so what"

Tone

- attitude
- emotion

Setting/Atmosphere

- sense of place & time

Imagery

- sense → emotion

Point of View

- narrative voice

Significant insight into human experience

So What?

Figurative Language

- metaphor, etc.
- allusion

Irony

- discrepancy

Syntax

- sentence patterns
- pace

Conflict

- internal & external

Structure

- building blocks

Conclusion:
ideally takes your insight
beyond the essay

CSE: Claim: Say what is so.
Support: Where is it so? Show it!
Explanation: How or why is it so?