Cause, Effect, and Cause and Effect Organization and Structure

**Cause Essay**

**Introduction**
1. Opening sentence
2. Background information (3-4 sentences about effects)
3. Thesis sentence

**First Cause Paragraph**
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

**Second Cause Paragraph**
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

**Third Cause Paragraph**
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

**Conclusion Paragraph**
1. Topic sentence
2. Summary of main points (3 sentences)
3. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

**Effect Essay**

**Introduction**
1. Opening sentence
2. Background information (3-4 sentences about causes)
3. Thesis sentence

**First Effect Paragraph**
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
Cause and Effect Essay (1 Cause and 2 Effects)

Introduction
1. Opening sentence
2. Background information (3-4 sentences)
3. Thesis sentence

Cause Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

First Effect Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Second Effect Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Third Effect Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Conclusion Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. Summary of main points (3 sentences)
3. Conclusion (analysis) sentence
Cause and Effect Essay (2 Causes and 1 Effect)

Introduction
1. Opening sentence
2. Background information (3-4 sentences)
3. Thesis sentence

First Cause Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Second Cause Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Effect Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. First major supporting sentence
3. Quotation sentence
4. Example or statistics sentence
5. Second major supporting sentence
6. Quotation sentence
7. Example or statistic sentence
8. Conclusion (analysis) sentence

Conclusion Paragraph
1. Topic sentence
2. Summary of main points (3 sentences)
3. Conclusion (analysis) sentence