

**Sample Outlines****Persuasive Speech Outline: Cause/Effect****INTRODUCTION:**

- I. Gain attention
- II. State topic: The Effects of the Sun on You
- III. State purpose
- IV. State expectations & Preview of Main Points
  - A. Effects on the skin
  - B. Effects on the hair
  - C. Effects on the eyes

**BODY:**

- I. Effects of sun on skin - Show the cause. Present the effects of the causes.
  - A. Evidence
  - B. Sub-point
  - C. Tell what the disadvantages or objections are. What can be done to prevent it?
- II. Effects of sun on hair - Show the cause. Present the effects of the cause.
  - A. Evidence
  - B. Sub-point
  - C. Tell what the disadvantages or objections are. What can be done to prevent it?
- III. Effects on the eyes - Show the cause. Describe the current situation and proof it with reliable evidence. Present the effects of the causes.
  - A. Evidence
  - B. Sub-point
  - C. Tell what the disadvantages or objections are. What can be done to prevent it?

**CONCLUSION:**

- I. Summary
  - A. Skin
  - B. Hair
  - C. Eyes
- II. Clincher: What do you want them to do or change? What is your call for action?

**Works Cited/Reference:**

Use MLA or APA format to list solutions.

**Visual Aid:**

What will you show to support your cause?

## Persuasive Speech Outline: Problem/Solution

### INTRODUCTION:

- I. Gain attention
- II. State topic & purpose
- IV. State expectations & Preview of Main Points
  - A. Aspects of the Problem
  - B. The Solution(s)

### BODY:

- I. Describe the problem: Examples, Stats, Facts, Effects, Size, Impact. Who is impacted? Why should we care? How severe is it?
  - A. Evidence
  - B. Sub-point
  - C. Sub-point
- II. Present solution(s) to the problem. Why is your solution the best? What changes in policy you are proposing? Offer expert testimonies, examples, illustrations etc. Tell what the most obvious advantages/disadvantages are.
  - A. Evidence
  - B. Sub-point
  - C. Sub-point

### CONCLUSION:

- I. Summary
  - A. Problem
  - B. Solution(s)
- II. Clincher: What do we do or change? Call for action?

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### Visual Aid:

What will you show to support your cause?