Argumentative paper schedule

Follow the graphic organizer and handouts in order to write your best possible essay: active voice, parallel development (especially thesis), sub/verb agreement, pronoun/antecedent agreement, consistent tense (verb tense agreement), varying sentence structures, introduced and cited evidence and then explain evidence relevance. All due dates are strict.

Follow MLA formatting. Here is the basics from the owl. This link also provides a sample paper. I have included the link in the remind app. <https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/747/24/>

Incorrectly formatted papers will not be accepted. The COW will be stampeded into the gym for the foreseeable future after Monday the 16th. Make sure you save your work to a place you can get it.

Length: roughly 900-1200 words.

Planning your essay: Use your word count – 750-950 words (roughly 250 words per page T, DS, TNR, 1). All that equals typed, double spaced, Times New Roman, 1 inch margins all around.

These word counts are rough estimates but will ensure proper coverage on all aspects of your essay. Include a total word count at the bottom of your paper—I do not need paragraph (¶) breakdowns. Word count will double in college (DE) when you need two sources per body ¶

1. Must be divided up. As a ***rough*** estimate, (based on 850 words): 15-20% of the word count should be used on your introduction – 150 words ish
2. 70% of the word count should be used on the main body – 700 words or 175 words per paragraph
3. 15% of the word count should be used on your conclusion – 150 words of the main body

Due

* Tuesday Nov. 6th: graphic organizer
* Wednesday Nov. 7th: Introduction only. Typed and printed.
* Friday Nov. 9th Rough draft complete with works cited page and in text citations. You should have this ready when you walk in the door. It should be stapled and
* Tuesday Nov. 13th 2nd rough draft is due. Same rules as above. 10 points.
* Thursday Nov. 15th final draft due. Printed and submit on google docs. go4ecu@cox.net

Note: All plagiarized papers will receive a zero. Use in text citations and a works cited page. If a source is used, it must be in both places. Note, you will not get a zero for making a mistake in a parenthesis; a zero is awarded if you blatantly copy someone else’s work from the internet.