

Write up Handout

Your paper should be 7-9 pages long 12pts, double-spaced. Quotes from your research subjects should be single spaced, and indented .5in on both side. Please use ASA citation style, both in text and in the bibliography. Due May 6th, by 4pm.

- I. Introduction
 - a. Engage the readers attention
 - b. Establish context
 - i. Personal
 - ii. Social
 - c. State research question
- II. Provide a comprehensive lit review
 - a. With at least 5 sources.
 - b. Current trends and patterns in your area
 - c. Material directly related to your topic
 - d. How your topic contributes to the material
- III. Methods
 - a. Explain data collection procedures
 - b. Why did you choose this method
 - c. What location and topics did you focus on
 - d. What challenges did the researcher face
 - e. What ethical considerations were relevant to the project and why
- IV. Analysis and discussion
 - a. Introduce and briefly stat 2-3 main findings/patterns from your research
 - i. Make sure to include a clear statement of each theme you identified
 - b. Focus on each finding using the following structure
 - i. State the key finding/pattern/observation
 - ii. Provide support for that finding by providing quotes from fieldnotes or interviews
 - iii. Analyze and explain how this example supports or demonstrates your finding.
- V. Conclusion
 - a. Restate the findings as it relates to your question
 - b. Explain the importance of your project
 - c. Make any recommendations for future research or policy