

エッセーの書き方おせーて追加回 資料パート1

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¹ Dance is one of the oldest forms of art, and it is seen in every culture and performed for a variety of purposes. ² In modern society, dance is widely recognized as a form of entertainment: many people enjoy dancing for fun or watching their favorite artists dance on stage or screen. ³ It can also be a form of sport: there are dance competitions of various types. ⁴ In addition to these obvious functions, however, there are other more complex roles dance can play in a society.

※必ずしも上から3文目が Thesis statement ではない！！

○1 文目(Hook)=読者を惹きつけるその話題に関連した面白い出だしが書いてある

Dance is one of the oldest forms of art, and it is seen in every culture and performed for a variety of purposes.

⇒「ああこの人は今からダンスの話をするのか～」とか考えて、ダンスを理解する頭に準備！
「え、ダンスってそんなにいっぱい目的・役割があるの！？」とかいう風に惹きつけられる！

○2文目(Background)=その話題の背景・知識・世間一般での認識などが書いてある

In modern society, dance is widely recognized as a form of entertainment: many people enjoy dancing for fun or watching their favorite artists dance on stage or screen.

⇒ここでは「現代の社会では～」って言うてるから、世間一般での認識だろうね！

○3 文目(Thesis statement)=エッセーの中での筆者の主張←めっちゃ大事！！！！

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⇒「ダンスはスポーツにもなりうるよね。」って言うてる。これが主張=結論

○4文目(Essay plan) =エッセーの構成の概説

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⇒「他にもたくさん役割があるんだよ」=「これからそれを説明するね！」っていうこと