**Typing Your Persuasive Essay**

**1. Must have a title**

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My Freedom is at Stake!!!

I walked proudly through the hallways of AMS, my new blue Mohawk glistening magnificently in the florescent lighting of the hallway. Soon, Mr. Granger turns the corner and I feel my hair wax start to melt. I know we have uniforms and a dress code for hair and accessories, and now my creative freedom will come to an end. Down to the office I go…stripped of my right to express myself. Do students really benefit from school uniforms and strict dress codes? Students should not be forced into uniforms and dress codes

\*Put the title of your persuasive essay

in the middle of the paper.

\* **BE CREATIVE** with your title!

See sample on right.

**2. The writing itself**

\*Times New Roman / 12 pt font

\*Double spaced

\* If you use direct quotes as evidence, use “quotation marks”

\* Paraphrase from your articles if you do not quote a study or

an expert directly.

3. **Three paragraphs required**, with your claim as the last sentence

in your intro. See sample on right.