

Compare and Contrast

Mapping Out Your Paper



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First, pick your two subjects to compare. Next, fill in the top box with the ways in which both subjects are similar. Underneath that, fill in the opposite boxes with differences and write how those differences relate on the line in between. For example, write *eye color* on the middle line and *blue* and *brown* in the two boxes. When you are finished, use this sheet to help you write and organize your essay.

Subject 1:

Subject 2:

Similarities:

Different with regard to:

Example:

Subject By Subject

Fill In:

Subject A: Dunkin Donuts
Point 1: Price
Point 2: Taste
Point 3: Variety of Goods
Subject B: Honey Dew
Point 1: Price
Point 2: Taste
Point 3: Variety of Goods

Subject A:
Point 1:
Point 2:
Point 3:
Subject B:
Point 1:
Point 2:
Point 3:

Example:

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Point 1:
Subject A:
Subject B:
Point 2:
Subject A:
Subject B:
Point 3:
Subject A:
Subject B: