

## A Few Things to Check on Your Paper

- Make sure your introduction clearly lays out what you will be arguing.
- Indent your paragraphs.
- Avoid the use of personal pronouns in your essay.
- Be sure to use transitional sentences to get from one paragraph to the next.
- Check for run-on sentences that need to be broken up into smaller units.
- Break up long blocks of text into smaller paragraphs.
- Remember to cite your sources as you use them throughout your paper.
- Place any footnotes you have at the end of the sentence.
- Number your pages.
- Make a point of proofreading through your paper when you are done to catch any errors you may have accidentally overlooked.
- Remove any spaces between your paragraphs
- 5 pages means 5 pages

For footnote formatting, please visit the following website:

<http://www.oberlin.edu/faculty/svolk/citation.htm>