

1st Assignment

Bakhtawar

Activity 1

The paragraph on the apple point plant, like almost any piece of effective writing, has two essential parts: (1) a point is advanced, and (2) that point is then supported. Taking a minute to outline the paragraph will help you understand these basic parts clearly. Add the words needed to complete the outline.

Point: Working in an apple plant is the worst job I ever had.

- Reasons 1: The job work was physically hard
- Loaded cartons onto skids for ten hours a night.
 - Each carton is heavy more than 25 pounds.
 - The carton came down the track almost non stop

- Reason 2: The second bad feature of the job was the pay
- I was getting the minimum wage and only get a quarter extra for working the next shift.
 - Had to work sixty hours for decent take-home pay.

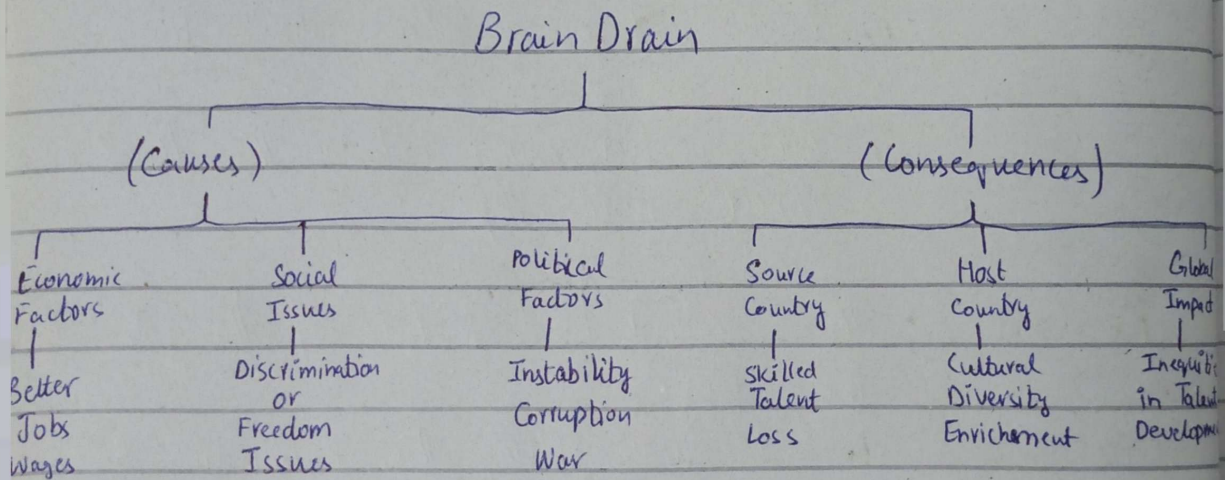
Reason 3: I hated the working conditions.

- a. Two ten-minute breaks and an unpaid lunch
- b. Most of my time was spent on loading dock in near zero degree temperatures
- c. Loneliness on job
 - 1) No interests in common with other workers.
 - 2) By myself for two hours cleaning the apple vats.

Essay

Brain drain: Causes and Consequences

Brainstorming



Outline :

1. Introduction

- Define brain drain
- Highlight its relevance in a globalized world.

2. Causes

- **Economic Causes:** Better wages, job opportunities, economic instability.
- **Social Causes:** Quality of life, personal freedom, societal pressures.
- **Educational Factors:** Access to advanced studies, research facilities abroad.
- **Political Causes:** Instability, corruption, conflict.

3. Consequences

• For Source Countries:

- Loss of skilled workforce.
- Slower economic growth and innovation.
- Dependence on remittances.

• For Host Countries:

- Access to skilled labor.
- Challenges in cultural integration.
- Economic growth fueled by immigration.

4. Possible Solutions

- Policies for retaining talent.
- Enhancing domestic opportunities.
- Collaboration between countries for mutual benefit.

5. Conclusion

- Summarize key insights.
- Call for a balanced approach to manage brain drain.

Introductory Essay

Imagine a young engineer, brimming with potential, leaving their homeland for a

foreign country where opportunity flourishes, while their community back home struggles to find someone to repair a crumbling infrastructure. This is the stark reality of brain drain — a phenomenon where talent migrates, leaving behind a vacuum that stunts development and deepens inequality. Driven by dreams of better pay, advanced education, and political stability, skilled professionals are reshaping the fortunes of nations — some gaining and other losing. Why does this talent exodus persist, and what consequences does it hold for the future of global progress? Exploring the causes and ripple effects of brain drain uncovers the hidden costs of ambition and the challenges of an interconnected world.