

Topic:

Development without sustainability
is a betrayal of future generations.

Outline:**A. Introduction**

(i) Hook

(ii) General Statements

(iii) **Thesis Statement:** "Development without sustainability exploits current resources, harms ecosystem, and morally betrays future generations' right to a livable world."

B. Unsustainable Development is a betrayal of future generations

a) Deforestation for temporary gains will deprive future generations of biodiversity and carbon sinks.

b) Industrialization exposes future generations to climate crises.

c) Draining aquifers leaves descendants with chronic water scarcity.

d) Plastic pollution poisons future food chains and ecosystems.

e) Delaying emission cuts for temporary gains forces future youth into climate migration.

f) Subsidizing fossil fuels saddles future generation with climate disaster debt.

g) Prioritizing rich nations' growth deepens global poverty.

h) Excluding clean tech stalls future economic growth.

i) Oil spills erode future accountability for environmental stewardship.

j) Unsustainable farming risks future famines.

k) Submerging islands erases indigenous heritage and identity.

l) Unplanned cities will cause future mass displacement.

C. Conclusion

a) Thesis Restatement

b) General Statements

c) Hope note