

### Conclusion Paragraph Sample

Use the following student introduction paragraph to label the following:

- Highlight and label the restated THESIS STATEMENT in one color.
- Highlight and label the BACKGROUND INFORMATION/RECAP in a different color.
- Highlight and label the

NOTE: This essay is NOT perfect!

#### Prompt:

You have now read “New Study Reveals Oreos are Addictive Due to High Sugar and Fat Content” by Kathleen Megan and “Food Industry Waging Battle Over Proposal on Added-Sugar Labels” by Evan Halper. Consider the effects of sugar on human health. Then, write an argumentative essay that ARGUES whether or not the government should be allowed to make rules about labeling foods with added sugar. Be sure to cite evidence from both texts to support your argument. Follow the conventions of standard written English.

#### Student Response:

There are many justifiable reasons as to why America is overweight and unhealthy. Some people cannot control their food addictions or cannot afford to live a healthy lifestyle. Most importantly, people are unaware of their food's ingredients. The U.S. government needs to make it easier to make conscious, dietary choices.