**Inspiration: Gathering and Developing Ideas Name:**

Once you have identified your inspiration, you will develop three claims that support your topic. Develop each claim by then providing two examples. Please fill in the graphic organizer below to organize your ideas.

**Thesis**

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**Claim 1**

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**Examples and Explanation**

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**Claim 2**

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**Examples and Explanation**

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**Claim 3**

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**Examples and Explanation (Claim 3)**

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Once you complete the graphic organizer, you will develop your ideas into a well-written essay including an introduction, thesis statement, and conclusion. Remember to use “State,Support,Explain” in your paragraphs and to follow English grammar and spelling rules. Your essay will be handed back to you without a grade if it does not meet our minimum class standards.