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Outline your essay by filling in your **thesis** (your central idea) and at least two **topic sentences** (supporting ideas) that show why your thesis is true. Then, add **evidence** (facts, quotes, or specific examples) to support each topic sentence.

The diagram shows a central box labeled "Thesis" on the left. Three arrows point from this box to three separate horizontal sections on the right. Each section consists of a rounded rectangular box labeled "Topic Sentence" at the top. Below each "Topic Sentence" box are two smaller, rounded rectangular boxes with dotted borders, each labeled "Evidence". The three sections are arranged vertically, one above the other.