\*\*\*\*\*\* The italicized items must be listed in your own outline with corresponding contents in your own presentation.

**Outline for Starter Team Presentation**

***Topic***:**How To Set Goals in improving your presentation skills in the semester.**

***My Audience***: Classmates and the teacher

Various majors

***Specific Purpose***: To help us determine proper goals in improving our presentation skills in the semester.

***Introduction***

1. ***Significance of topic***: Maximize the progress obtained in this semester.
2. ***Thesis statement***: A proper goal should be not only specific and measurable but also large-scale and be with long-term vision.
3. ***Preview of subtopics***: Two aspects, neither too big nor too small.

# *(TRANSITION)* Next explain it in detail from two aspects.

***Body***

*I.* Lizzie Borden had the strongest motive.

A. She was the major heir in father’s will.

B. She hated stepmother.

1. She refused to have meals together.

2. She addressed her “Mrs. Borden”.

# *(TRANSITION)* It’s been settled that she had the strongest motive, but is she the person who is most likely to murder the couple?

*II.* Lizzie had the only opportunity to commit the murders.

1. She was alone in the house.
2. The front door was triple-locked.
3. Nobody had got in through the backdoor.

# *(TRANSITION)* So now she had the motive and the opportunity, can we put her at the crime scene at the time?

III. Lizzie did not have an alibi for her whereabouts at the time of the murder.

# *(TRANSITION)* Now let’s put together what we have gone over up till now.

***Conclusion***

I. Lizzie Borden had the motive and the opportunity, and she is not alibied out.

II. Right in front of us is the undoubtable conclusion that Lizzie Borden was actually the only individual guilty of the murders.

*Thank the audience.*

*Invite questions.*