**9.3 English Scaffold – *Scythe***

1. Essay prompt selected: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Select a scaffold that reflects your essay prompt
   1. Compare and contrast (questions 2,3,4)
   2. Arguing and persuading (questions 1,5,6,7)
3. Complete the scaffold based on the ideas that you’re presenting
4. Complete the table below to expand on your ideas
5. After you complete the table, begin typing your draft essay

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| **Essay prompt selected:** |  | |
|  | **Explain your idea (give more detail than your scaffold)** | **Quote(s) to support your idea (and page number)** |
| **Introduction**   * Context (introduce book, author and short summary) * Arguments (what are your main ideas to talk about?) * Thesis (overall statement of your essay’s focus) |  |  |
| **Body paragraph 1**   * Identify your idea * Elaborate on your idea (why is it relevant to your chosen topic?) * Give your evidence (including source and page number; e.g. *Gleaning Journal of H.S. Curie*, p.34) * Explain the relevance of your evidence to your chosen topic * Link your idea back to the topic and point of your paragraph |  |  |
| **Body paragraph 2**   * Identify your idea * Elaborate on your idea (why is it relevant to your chosen topic?) * Give your evidence (including source and page number; e.g. *Gleaning Journal of H.S. Curie*, p.34) * Explain the relevance of your evidence to your chosen topic * Link your idea back to the topic and point of your paragraph |  |  |
| **Body paragraph 3**   * Identify your idea * Elaborate on your idea (why is it relevant to your chosen topic?) * Give your evidence (including source and page number; e.g. *Gleaning Journal of H.S. Curie*, p.34) * Explain the relevance of your evidence to your chosen topic * Link your idea back to the topic and point of your paragraph |  |  |
| **Conclusion**   * Thesis (reiterate what your overall point was) * Arguments (what were your three ideas to justify your thesis?) * General statement (conclude your essay in an engaging but relevant way) |  |  |