**Paragraph Outline Sample:**

**Topic Sentence:**

Children’s exposure to a variety of content through multiple media and technological devices makes being a parent today much more difficult than it was a generation ago.

**Supporting Details 1**

The many advances in technology and society may provide children with more activities and also sources of unwanted distraction.

**Supporting Details 2**

In addition to every-day distractions, parents must also be aware of the appropriateness of the content that is found in the media and how their children are affected by it.

**Supporting Details 3**

Children can be exposed to other dangerous situations during their daily lives and/or through the media.

**Concluding Sentence**

Concluding Sentence: Technology and media can have a heavy impact on children’s lives, and therefore, on the roles of parents.