Pop Quiz #1: Academic Writing Concepts

DIRECTIONS: Please read through these directions and complete the following quiz. You may use your class notes, however, you may not use a dictionary. You have exactly **10 minutes** from now to finish the quiz. Your **grade** will be based on thoroughly completing **everything** in the given time. Write your name in the upper **right-hand** corner of the page. When you are **finished** with all of the questions, turn your paper over. You may **begin** the quiz after reading the directions. This is a quiz of the first two weeks of this semester. The following questions include assignments you have done so far. We will have more quizzes like this one later this semester covering new material. If you are still reading these directions, do not answer any questions. Quietly put your pen down now, turn your paper over, and remain silent until the teacher completes the quiz.

QUESTIONS

1. Which 3 different strategies for brainstorming have I talked about so far? __________
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2. Briefly **define** the following terms in your own words:
   - conjunction- ___________________________________________________________________
   - phrase- _________________________________________________________________________
   - clause- _________________________________________________________________________

3. What do we call the main idea of an essay? __________________________________________________________________________

4. Draw the diagram for the basic essay structure and label the parts:

   ![Diagram]

5. Your Academic Writing Portfolio should be divided into 5 different sections. Name the 5 sections: _______________________________________________________________________
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