Intro & Background Checkpoint

Intro: Funnel Paragraph

* 2-3 sentences introducing your topic
* 2-3 sentences introducing each of your main arguments
* 1 sentence thesis at the end

Background: Teach the reader the history they need to know to understand your argument

* 2 paragraphs in length (Honors Paper could be 3 paragraphs)
* 3-5 pieces of historical evidence for each paragraph
* Variety of sources need to be used