Rome DBQ Writing Guide

Introduction:
- Restate the Question: Did the Founding Fathers invent the United States or base it on the Roman government?
- Answer the Question
- Explain which aspects of government you will be discussing

Body Paragraph 1
- Topic Sentence 1: The American and Roman governments are similar in their __________________________.
- Citation 1
- Citation 2
- Explanation
- Conclusion sentence

Body Paragraph 2
- Topic Sentence 2: The American and Roman governments are similar in their __________________________.
- Citation 3
- Citation 4
- Explanation
- Conclusion sentence

Body Paragraph 3
- Topic Sentence 3: The American and Roman governments are similar in their __________________________.
- Citation 5
- Citation 6
- Explanation
- Conclusion sentence

Conclusion Paragraph
- Rephrase your answer
- Summarize the evidence you cited
- Conclusion sentence