**Essay Question: Was the Renaissance a revolutionary period? (MAKE THIS BETTER!!!)**

**Was the Renaissance a revolutionary period that propelled**

**Europe out of the Middle Ages?**

**1: Middle Ages**

* **When it was/How long it lasted (5th – 15th C)…or??**
* **Key features ideas (focus on status quo/little grown)**
  + **Catholic Church & Feudalism**

**2: Renaissance**

* **When it began (ish)**
* **What is was all about/key characteristics (avoid SUPER specific points…they will be in your body paragraphs)**

**3: Revolution**

* **I.D. that it actually fits into what a ‘revolution’ is**

**POINTS (order doesn’t matter)**

* **Ideology (One clear way this revolution can be seen is through the ideological shift that Europeans undertook, dramatically changing the way they perceived and thought about their world and lives.)**
* **Art (you do this one)**

**THESIS!!**