

# EXAMPLE TOWER DIAGRAM

Sequence: Importance	Point of View: 3	Tense: Present
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## INTRODUCTORY OPTION:

Definition of asteroid

Movie—Empire Strikes Back

## INTRODUCTORY DETAILS:

CLAIM:  
Asteroids should be settled

② Small planets-orbit sun

③ Huge

④ In Asteroid belt

① Big rocks

## REASONS

1

Contain natural resources

Examples

3

Act as way stations

Linking

2

Offer Job Opportunities

Linking

- 1 Metals can be mined
- 2 Volatiles can be found
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- 1 Stop overs for supplies
- 2 Get repairs
- 3 Testing spots
- 4 Pick up cargo
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- 1 Workers in mines
- 2 Workers in factories
- 4 Pilots for spaceships
- 3 New technologies
- 5 Investors

## CONCLUDING OPTION:

- 1 Resources needed
- 2 Jobs needed
- 3 Can be way stations
- 4 Humans are adventurers

## CONCLUDING DETAILS:

## THESIS STATEMENT:

Because of their natural resources, opportunities for jobs and investments, and potential as way stations, asteroids offer benefits as places to live and work in the future.