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**Chapter 13 – Definition (p. 489-495)** Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Hour \_\_\_\_\_\_

Define ***formal definition***

Define ***extended definition***

A formal definition typically consists of a standard three-part structure. What are these three parts?

Unlike a formal definition, an extended definition does not follow a set \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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The **thesis** of a definition essay should do more than simply identify the term to be defined and more than just define it. The thesis statement needs to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**“Deciding on a Pattern of Development”** – List and briefly explain the five possible patterns of development that could be used to expand your definition.

**“Phrasing Your Definition”** - List and briefly explain at least two of the tips provided under the heading.

**“Structuring a Definition Essay”**

Unlike a formal definition, which strives for objectivity, an extended definition does not. Instead, it is likely to define a term in a way that reflects your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Avoid using the phrases \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when stating your definition. *(Refer to pg. 495)*

Your **introduction** identifies \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, perhaps \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and goes on to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

In addition to using various patterns of development, you can expand the **body** of your definition by using additional strategies. List and briefly explain these five strategies.

What should your essay’s **conclusion** accomplish?