A Comparison and Contrast Essay

I. Structure

A. Subject-by-subject

1. Essentially write 2 essays about each subject, while discussing the same points for each

B. Point-by-point

1. Make a point about one subject then follow it with a comparable point about the other

C. Use parallel structure

1. The use of matching nouns, verbs, phrases, or clauses to express the same or similar ideas

II. Introduction

A. Present thesis statement

III. Conclusion

A. Restate thesis