SPSE Language

Situation   Follows the conventions of an introduction
(general > specific > definition > situation >outline) *Outline: This essay will discuss two problems, propose possible solutions and evaluate the effectiveness of these solutions.*

Problems
Adjective: *central / main / major / common / immediate / serious / significant = problem* Verbs: *associate / raise / consider / discuss / address / resolve / discuss /*   ▪ *The most significant problem is…..* ▪ *………. poses / presents an immediate problem because…* ▪ *Another possible issue is ……* Cause & effect language *Leads to / results in / gives rise to / as a consequence / owing to / because of / as a result* Cause and effect phrases *This suggests / … Is linked to / associated with / connected to …. / …may be affected by…*

Solution
Adjective: *long-term / short-term / proposed / effective / comprehensive / possible / practical / feasible / cost-effective / workable / realistic* Verbs: *propose / put forward / suggest / adopt / provide*   ▪ *One possible solution would be to…. / One way of solving the problem is..* ▪ *One practical approach could be to….*

Evaluation   [Show both positive and negatives effects]
▪ *Implementation of these solutions would ……….. However, ………* ▪ *Although this solution provides………, there are a number of limitations. The first one is….* ▪ *Overall, these solutions offer a range of ……….., but it needs to be highlighted that……*

Conclusion [Make a decision]
In conclusion / To sum up / To conclude, …. Of the solutions suggested, the……………………… would be the most effective because ……….. *If clause : if these solutions are implemented, then this would ………..* *If the ……………… solution is implemented, it would…………..*