**HOOK NOTES**

**Hook:**

**Hooks the reader-draws them into what you are saying.**

**Hook Ideas:**

**Fact, quote, personal anecdote (story), statistic, AVOID QUESTIONS AT ALL COSTS!**

**Examples:**

**Topic: Bullying**

**Fact: Due to bullying thousands of students miss school everyday for fear of attack (Parenting Book).**

**Quote: "Never be bullied into silence. Never allow yourself to be made a victim. Accept no one's definition of your life, but define yourself " (Harvey S. Firestone).**

**Personal: In high school I would see bullying and turn a blind eye. Now, I know that is the same as cheering on the bully.**

**Statistics: Over 280,000 high school students are bullied monthly (School Bullying Counsel).**