

Contrast Essay on Black Femininity in the Media

-Watch these 3 Boondocks episodes and write a contrast essay based on these episodes using the essay outline below.

-Essay must be 3-4 pages and must have 5 paragraphs

-Must be in MLA format

-Must follow the standard medium of writing

Episodes:

- "Guess Hoe's Coming to Dinner": Season 1 Episode 3
- "Attack of The Killer Kung Fu Wolf Bitch": Season 3 Episode 6
- "The Lovely Ebony Brown": Season 3 Episode 11

Intro:

- 1st sentence- Give an overview of American Femininity. (What does it mean to be a woman)?
- 2nd-3rd sentences-Discuss components of womanhood/femininity. (What creates womanhood? How does it "Look"?)
- 4th-5th sentences- Explore femininity in the media. (How is it shown in texts, music, or films)?
- 6th-7th sentences-How black women hood or femininity is portrayed in the media.
- Last sentences: Essay map thesis ○ "Professionalism, independence, and demureness represent Cristal, Luna, and Miss Ebony Brown

Body Paragraph 1: Professionalism

- Topic Sentence: Professionalism was displayed by these women in each episode by their careers and lifestyles. (Elaborate)

Body Paragraph 2: Independence

- Topic Sentence: Even though professionalism shown in Cristal, Luna, and Miss Ebony Brown characters exhibited positivity, independence exemplified their wiliness to remain free of male dominance. (Elaborate)

Body Paragraph 3: Demureness

- Topic Sentence: Demureness illustrated from these black women in their roles debunked myths about black female sexual prowess. (Elaborate)

Conclusions: (Do not mention essay map thesis):

- Intelligent, autonomous, and coy natures displayed by Cristal, Luna, and Missy Ebony Brown reflected unique images of black femininity. (Elaborate)