Intro:

* + Hook
  + Thesis statement: John Brown was an abolitionist, who participated in the Raid on Harper’s Ferry, and went to trial for his involvement.

Body Paragraph #1:

* + Main idea 1: Abolitionist
  + Supporting details
  + Transition statement: As an Abolitionist, John Brown began planning the raid on Harper’s Ferry.

Body Paragraph #2:

* + Transitional Phrase: When the day of the Raid arrived, ….
  + Main idea: The Raid of Harper’s Ferry
  + Supporting details
  + Transition statement: John Brown did not succeed during the raid because he was captured and put on trial for leading raid.

Body Paragraph #3:

* Transitional Phrase: On the day of his trial, ….
* Main idea: The Trial
* Supporting Details

Conclusion:

* Transitional phrase: In conclusion, ….
* Summarize your main ideas and wrap up your papers