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Persuasion Map

The diagram is a flowchart titled "Persuasion Map". It starts on the left with a box labeled "Goal or Thesis:". Three lines branch out from this box to three vertically stacked boxes labeled "1.", "2.", and "3.". From each of these boxes, three lines branch out to three vertically stacked boxes labeled "1a.", "1b.", "1c.", "2a.", "2b.", "2c.", and "3a.", "3b.", "3c." respectively. A large bracket on the right side groups all these boxes together, pointing to a final box on the right labeled "Conclusion:". Below the diagram are four boxes with arrows pointing up to the corresponding parts of the map. The first arrow points to the "Goal or Thesis:" box. The second arrow points to the "1.", "2.", and "3." boxes. The third arrow points to the "1a.", "1b.", "1c.", "2a.", "2b.", "2c.", "3a.", "3b.", and "3c." boxes. The fourth arrow points to the "Conclusion:" box.

Goal or Thesis:

1.

1a.

1b.

1c.

2.

2a.

2b.

2c.

3.

3a.

3b.

3c.

Conclusion:

Goal or Thesis: A goal or thesis is a statement that describes one side of an arguable viewpoint. Write your own goal or thesis here.

Main Reasons: Briefly state three main reasons that would convince someone that your goal or thesis is valid.

Facts or Examples: Write three facts or examples to support each of your main reasons and validate your goal or thesis.

Conclusion: Conclude your argument by summarizing the most important details of the argument and stating once again what the reader is to believe or do.