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| Question | Write the question that is being debated. | I wrote this at the top of my paper\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Claim** | I answered the debatable question as the LAST sentence in my intro. | I wrote my claim and highlighted it in **blue**\_\_\_\_ |
| **Evidence from Text**  **( start new paragraph)** | * The article states * Evidence from the article states * According to the article | I found evidence from the text to prove my claim\_\_\_\_  I highlighted the evidence in green\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Reasoning #1** | * This proves \_\_\_\_because\_\_\_\_\_ * This supports my claim because * This shows that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ because * If \_\_\_\_\_then\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | I explained why the evidence I shared proves my point in my own words or I gave an example\_\_\_\_\_\_  I highlighted my reasoning in pink\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Evidence from Text** | * The article also states * Another piece of evidence is * Additional evidence says that | I found evidence **from the text** to prove my claim\_\_\_\_  I highlighted the evidence in green\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Reasoning #2** | * This also proves \_\_\_\_because\_\_\_\_\_ * This also supports my claim because * This also shows that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ because * So, If \_\_\_\_\_then\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | I explained why the evidence I shared proves my point in my own words or I gave an example\_\_\_\_\_\_  I highlighted my reasoning in pink\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Evidence from** | * Finally the article says * The final piece of evidence says * Furthermore the article says | I found evidence **from the text** to prove my claim\_\_\_\_  I highlighted the evidence in green\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Reasoning** | * This also proves \_\_\_\_because\_\_\_\_\_ * This also supports my claim because * This also shows that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ because * So, If \_\_\_\_\_then\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | I explained why the evidence I shared proves my point in my own words or I gave an example\_\_\_\_\_\_  I highlighted my reasoning in pink\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Conclusion** | * To summarize \_\_\_\_ * Therefore it is clear that\_\_\_\_\_ * All in all \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_\_ * To sum it up\_\_\_\_\_ * Given these facts \_\_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ | I restated my claim using DIFFERENT words\_\_\_\_\_  I highlighted my conclusion in **blue**\_\_\_\_\_\_ |