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Current Events -- the Next Level

Pros, Cons and Persuasive Essays

Research, Research, Research before you write!

If you want to convince readers to agree with your point of view or course of action:

- Define your Topic (must have more than one side which can be debated)
- Know your Facts - statements which can be proven
- Be Clear about Your Opinion - reflect your attitude, belief or viewpoint

Sample Issues:

Should performance enhancing drugs be accepted in sports?

<http://sportsanddrugs.procon.org/view.resource.php?resourceID=002352>

What are the solutions to illegal immigration in America?

<http://immigration.procon.org/view.resource.php?resourceID=000842>