

<p>First cue card for step 1: <u>S</u>suspend judgment.</p>	<p>Did I list ideas for both sides? If not, do this now.</p>
<p>Second cue card for step 1: <u>S</u>suspend judgment.</p>	<p>Can I think of anything else? Try to write more.</p>
<p>Third cue card for step 1: <u>S</u>suspend judgment.</p>	<p>Another point I haven't yet considered is.... Think of possible arguments.</p>
<p>Cue card for step 2: <u>T</u>ake a side.</p>	<p>Place a "+" at the top of one box to show the side you will take in your essay.</p>
<p>First cue card for step 3: <u>O</u>rganize ideas.</p>	<p>Put a star next to ideas you want to use. Choose at least _____ ideas to use.</p>
<p>Second cue card for step 3: <u>O</u>rganize ideas.</p>	<p>Did I star ideas on both sides? Choose at least ____ arguments that you can dispute.</p>
<p>Third cue card for step 3: <u>O</u>rganize ideas.</p>	<p>Number your ideas in the order you will use.</p>
<p>Cue card for step 4: <u>P</u>lan more as you write.</p>	<p>Remember to use all four essay parts: <u>D</u>develop your topic sentence, <u>A</u>dd supporting ideas, <u>R</u>eject possible arguments, and <u>E</u>nd with a conclusion.</p>

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