

Name _____

Class and Section 1020-10

Argument Writing Organizer

Audience (who cares): _____

Hook (grab your audience):

Intro/Background (objective summary of both sides of the argument) :

Yes—Your Side	No—Opposing Side
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Your Claim: Thesis Sentence (Must include a statement that is balanced between fact and opinion, along with including your reasons for that claim.)

Prewrite/Brainstorm in this space.

Your side of the argument = Reason + Details/Evidence (Include research/quote).

Reason #1	
Reason #2	
Reason #3	

Refutation or Rebuttal or Counter Argument: Responses to those who disagree.

Opposition Reasons: "Some people would say..."
Why opposition is limited: (Refutation transition + counter argument)

Concessions: Potential areas you can agree with opposing side.

Conclusion: Look to the future and/or call to action.
