

**S**uspend judgment, Brainstorm ideas for and against the topic.

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**T**ake a side. Place a “=” at the top of the box that shows the side you will take.

**O**rganize ideas. Decide which ideas are strong and which ideas you can dispute.

**P**lan more as you write. Remember to use all four essay parts (DARE) and continue planning.

Now write your essay on another piece of paper.