

# How to create an Argumentative/Persuasive writing piece for science?

***Fall Common Core Project***

***Do Now: What is an  
argumentative essay ?***

# Argumentative Essay Outline.

Introduction

- 8 - 12% of essay length
- General background, focus, and essay's objective

Claim 1

- Only one paragraph for each claim.
- Each claim has supporting evidences from at least two sources.

Claim 2

Claim 3

- Have at least 3 claims for your argumentative essay.

Opposing Claim

- Only one paragraph for each opposing claim.
- Similarly, each opposing claim has supporting evidences from at least two sources
- At least one opposing claim.

Conclusion

- 8 - 12% of essay length
- Summarises what has been found.
- Must establish your stand.
- Should not contain new information

**What must we  
include in an  
argumentative  
essay?**

**Your Task:** To write an  
Argumentative Essay

**Argue whether vertical  
farming is a viable industry  
for New York City.**

**Viable===practical**

# What is Vertical Farming?

- As we watch the video- Answer the following questions:
  1. What is vertical farming?
  2. Why are some people advocating for vertical farms in cities? What are the benefits?
  3. What are challenges that exist to seeing large-scale vertical farms in cities?

# Group Work

- Vertical Farming- Reading article/Share out.

Advantages

Disadvantages

# Summary---Exit Slip

- What did you learn about vertical farming thus far ?
- What are your thoughts/ opinions?