



Nevada Academic Content Standards - Resource Page

The resources below have been created to assist teachers' understanding and to aid instruction of this standard.

College and Career Readiness (CCR) Anchor Standard	Standard: W.6.1b - Support claim(s) with clear reasons and relevant evidence, using credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text.
W.CCR.1 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	<p><u>Questions to Focus Learning</u></p> <p>How do writers use clear reasons and evidence supported by credible sources to strengthen their argument?</p> <p>Writers must be knowledgeable about the topic to choose which pieces of credible evidence to use to support their claims.</p> <p><u>Student Friendly Objectives</u></p> <p><i>Knowledge Targets</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">I know not all sources are credible.I know how to distinguish between credible and non-credible sources.I know how to cite information from various sources.I know claims are supported by demonstrating an understanding of the topic.I know reasoning supports or weakens a claim.I know claims are presented in different kinds of writing. <p><i>Reasoning Targets</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">I can determine which reasons further an argument, not simply restate it.I can determine which technique or supportive format best enhances a claim.I can determine if a source is accurate and credible to support a claim.

Vocabulary

argument
claim(s)
credible
emotional
evidence
logical
reason-expert testimony
reasoning
sources

Teacher Tips

Vertical Progression

W.K.1 - Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., My favorite book is...).

W.1.1 - Write opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or name the book they are writing about, state an opinion, supply a reason for the opinion, and provide some sense of closure.

W.2.1 - Write opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or book they are writing about, state an opinion, supply reasons that support the opinion, use linking words (e.g., because, and, also) to connect opinion and reasons, and provide a concluding statement or section.

W.3.1 - Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons.

W.4.1 - Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.

W.5.1 - Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.

W.7.1 - Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.

W.8.1 - Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.

W.9-10.1 - Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.

W.11-12.1 - Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.

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