

Argumentative Essay

Topics for Group Assignment

Question Topics

1. What types of **crime** do you think should be **prosecuted** most aggressively?
2. Have you (or anyone you know) ever had **minimally invasive** surgery? What kind?
3. Some people believe that technology makes people stupid, and that this is **particularly true** of text messaging. Do you agree or disagree?
4. Most people have household tasks that they enjoy and others that they hate. Which household **tasks** do you most (or least) like to **perform**?
5. Some people think that technology is already as advanced as it can get, while others believe that we do not yet know what computers are **clearly capable** of. What do you think?

6. It has been said, "Not everything that is learned is contained in books." Compare and contrast knowledge gained from experience with knowledge gained from books. In your opinion, which source is more important? Why?

7. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? Smart phone has destroyed communication among friends and family. Use specific reasons and examples to support your opinion.

8. "When people succeed, it is because of hard work. Luck has nothing to do with success." Do you agree or disagree with the quotation above? Use specific reasons and examples to explain your position.

9. Businesses should hire employees for their entire lives. Do you agree or disagree? Use specific reasons and examples to support your answer.

10. Learning about the past has no value for those of us living in the present. Do you agree or disagree? Use specific reasons and examples to support your answer.