**Instructions:**

1. Please answer the questions below and, where possible, copy and paste examples from your classmate’s essay so that they can see exactly what is working well and what could be improved.
2. Please be sure to use a professional tone. Sarcastic, rude, or condescending comments are not appropriate (and also not Christlike). Try to “peer review unto others as you would have them peer review unto you”—be clear, specific, and sincere!

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| **Peer Review Questions** | **Peer Review Response** |
| Introduction and conclusion | ***Highlight one:*** *excellent, good, fair, needs work* |
| Is the thesis clear and debatable? If so, copy and paste it in the response.  If not, try to summarize what you think it should be in your own words. | I don’t see a thesis.  I think a good idea to start would be “Parents and schools have the opportunity to help stop pornography.” |
| Does the conclusion of Part 3 indicate a clear claim and summarize the best reasons the essay gives to support the claim? If so, which sentences in the draft indicate the claim is clear and well-supported?  If not, what questions or suggestions do you have about establishing their claim at the end of the paper? | Yes I like the sentences.  “we as citizens have the responsibility to remain informed”  “With both solutions, awareness of the harmful effects of pornography can be brought to light in a way that allows children, teenagers, and adults to make informed decisions regarding pornography on their own.” |
| Paragraphs & Argumentation | ***Highlight one:*** *excellent, good, fair, needs work* |
| Where does the writer use clear topic sentences and transitions? If so, give at least one example of a clear topic sentence and/or transition.  If you’re having trouble finding clear topic sentences or transitions, identify where you see problems. Are there any paragraphs that seem to have more than a single focus? Are there paragraphs where the topic is totally unclear? Are there paragraphs that seem disconnected? | Yes I see topic sentences  “Another solution might be to educate parents about the topic of pornography.” |
| Is each sub-claim or reason clearly presented? If so, list the strongest reasons they provide.  If not, list the reasons or sub-claims that seem unclear. | Educate parents   * Protect children * Be open and honest with children |
| Are counterarguments and rebuttals addressed in a clear and objective way? If so, give an example of where they did this well.  If not, give an example of where the writer may have oversimplified an important counterargument, stated it in an unfair or overly biased manner, or simply left it out all together. | There aren’t any rebuttals, like schools can’t talk about porn to their students because it is considered inappropriate or they can’t afford a program to tell children about this problem. |
| Synthesis and Analysis | ***Highlight one:*** *excellent, good, fair, needs work* |
| Is the writer’s position clearly explained in context of the debate? Can you tell where the student is adding to the debate? If so, give at least one example.  If not, point out where they are summarizing or quoting too much and not adding enough synthesis and analysis. | Yes, “Not to mention, that just as we can easily become addicted to drug use, this same outcome can also easily occur with pornography use.” |
| MLA Formatting & Citation | ***Highlight one:*** *excellent, good, fair, needs work* |
| Is the overall formatting correct (heading, page numbers, spacing, etc.)? If not, what is missing? | ***Everything is right*** |
| Are the in-text citations formatted properly (author’s name, page numbers if applicable)? Is the citation punctuated correctly (period after the parentheses)?  If so, give at least one example of a good in-text citation.  If not, give an example of where they are missing something in the citation. | ***Needs the period after the parenthesis on all citations***  ***“***frontal lobe of the brain, which is responsible for decision-making and logic. Any damage to this part of the brain will make it much harder to exercise willpower and self-control.” (Malika, A)” |
| Did the writer include a works cited page? Is it formatted correctly (MLA style)? Give at least one example of what they did well or what they need to improve. | Most is right just fix the first one DOWNS, DONALD A. name is all capitalized and the rest aren’t like that |
| Grammar, punctuation, formatting | ***Highlight one:*** *excellent, good, fair, needs work* |
| Identify any MAJOR issues with grammar, punctuation, and MLA formatting. You don’t need to list every error, but if you see something that’s very confusing or a mistake that’s repeated several times in the essay, please point it out here. | I didn’t see any major issues just needing the period after the parenthesis and maybe trying to find the authors of all the sources so it isn’t the title of the article. |
| Encouragement & Advice | |
| What are your partner’s overall strengths?  Do you know of any resources that might help your classmate as they continue to write? | Knowledgeable of the topic. Has a strong opinion and shares it so I know their side of the argument. |