

Evidence Organizer

Evidence can often be found to support either side of an argument or theory. Think of a statement or theory related to the topic you are studying, for which there might be two “sides.” Write that statement or theory in the block in the middle of the diagram. On the left side, note at least three pieces of evidence that supports your statement or theory. On the right side, note at least three pieces of evidence that does NOT support your theory. Below each piece of evidence, write the source from which you found the evidence.

Evidence That Supports	Evidence That Does Not Support
	Statement or Theory:

Determine whether you would like to either support or not support the statement. Use the evidence you found in a presentation to the class. Choose the presentation style you prefer, such as a speech, a poster or essay.