

Essay with Attitude

STUDENT ESSAY RESPONSE SHEET

Your Name: _____ Author's Name: _____

As you read your classmate's essay, respond specifically. Make sure your feedback is supportive.

- What is the writer's **THESIS**? Write what you think the writer's thesis is.
- Which kind of **INTRODUCTION** did the writer use? Did it capture your attention? Why / Why not?
 - a) Question
 - b) Quotation
 - c) Anecdote
 - d) Wake-Up Call
- Which **EVIDENCE** did the writer use? (*highlight, circle the one(s) used - there may be more than one*)
 - a) Personal Experience (Evidence from your personal life)
 - b) Anecdotes (Stories you've heard to emphasize your point)
 - c) Facts
 - d) Examples from other reading materials, television, movies
 - e) Other: _____

Did the writer convince you? Why / Why Not?

- Which kind of **CONCLUSION** did the writer use?
 - a) Summary
 - b) Circle Back to the Beginning
 - c) Possible Solution
 - d) Restate / Emphasize Thesis
 - e) Additional Questions for Raised Awareness / Consciousness

Was the conclusion effective?