**Critical Thinking Reading Questions for Issues Articles**

*For the first article on each side of the issue answer the following questions. You will need to give evidence from the language clues in the texts.*

1. Identify an opinion and a fact and **support your identifications with evidence.**
2. Identify something that is important to the author and something that is not important to the author and **support your identification with evidence**.
3. Choose 1 argument (make sure it is an argument being used to support a view, not just a statement) used by the author and discuss the **strengths and weaknesses** of that argument.