

CSI Presentation - Give it a clever title!

Group Members Names

Background information

- This is where you will put the history of your topic.
- Imagine a person has never heard about your topic.
 - What will they need to know?
- You could include:
 - A timeline
 - Short bios of important people
 - Explanation of key terms
- This could be more than one slide

Your Thesis

- What is it that you will be arguing?
 - Should include your stance on the topic and what you believe should be done.

- (insert topic here) is/ is not an issue because (insert reasoning here) and (insert solution/compromise) needs to be done about it.

Evidence to Support Your Argument

- This is where you will put your 4 to 5 strongest pieces of information that will sway your audience to your side of the debate.
 - Facts
 - Quotes
 - Images
- Just be sure to cite where you go them!

Counter Arguments

- List the arguments the other side would make on this side of your slide.
- 3 to 5 arguments
- Give reasons why those reasons are wrong on this side of your slide.

Conclusion/Solution/ Compromise

- Present what you think would be the best way to either solve or go forward with your issue.
- “Get a **specific plan** and explain **why it would work!**
 - Don’t just say, “We should end deforestation of the Amazon rainforest.”
 - Say ‘ We should end the deforestation of the Amazon rainforest by _____(insert action here)_____.’”
 - Then give a few reasons why this could work!

Bibliography

- Use proper MLA formatting (like you did for History Day) to list your sources.
- Citation Machine is great place to begin
 - <http://www.citationmachine.net/mla/cite-a-website>
- Remember, your bibliography needs to be in Alphabetical (ABC) order!