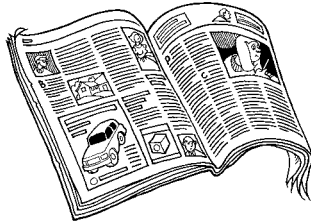


## HOW TO ARGUE

### WHAT TO DO



- Look through a local newspaper and find something you hold an opinion on. Use this sheet to help you build your argument.
- Briefly outline your view in box 1.
- Give reasons for your view and add supporting information in box 2.
- Write what you think someone who disagrees with you might say in box 3.
- Write what you could say to support your view in box 4.
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- Do some research to find out more facts about the issue. Does this information support your view or make you think again? Write notes on the back of this sheet.

The issue \_\_\_\_\_

#### 1 My view

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#### 2 Reasons and information

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#### 3 A different view

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#### 4 In support of my view

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### TO PARENTS OR CARERS

This activity is for your child to do on his or her own. It helps practise work already covered in school.

This activity will help your child to

- construct an effective argument
- develop a point logically and anticipate objections.