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Competency: ARGUE

Core Competencies and Associated Attainments

Definition: To employ research, evidence and/or reason to advance an idea or prove a truth.

Synonyms: persuade, convince, defend, assert, justify

ATTAINMENT	DEFINITION
I can craft a line of reasoning	Link claims and evidence to lead toward a logical conclusion Apply conventions of deductive reasoning to prove a truth
I can provide evidence	Present proof or support (data, quotes, research, etc.) to guide the reader toward a conclusion Present information to guide the reader toward a conclusion
I can state a position	Provide an arguable opinion about an issue
I can develop claims	To articulate a subargument in support of a position