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Directions: You will be allowed to use these notes, and nothing else, while you give your presentation.

In your **assertions** you state and defend what you are arguing FOR (the pro arguments if you chose that side, the con arguments if you chose that side). In each assertion, you must briefly present an argument and explain why it is valid.

In your **refutations**, you attack the side you did not choose. (If you chose the pro side, you will be refuting the con arguments). In each refutation, state the opposing argument and explain why it is flawed.

Write enough notes for each assertion/refutation to give you over 20 seconds of speaking time. In your final presentation, **you must speak for at least 2 minutes total**.

Begin by **stating your position** on the issue (“I will be arguing that…”), then go through your assertions and refutations.

Assertion 1:

Assertion 2:

Assertion 3:

Refutation 1:

Refutation 2:

Refutation 3: