**Topic:**

***Insert DEBATABLE QUESTION here.***

**Directions:** *Stand with your group at your assigned chart paper.*

* As a group, discuss the topic and come up with a claim. **Write your complete argument (claim + evidence + reasoning)** in the first column.
* Then walk clockwise to the next chart, read the argument written on the chart, and **write a counterargument**, complete with counterclaim, evidence, and reasoning**.**
* Then walk clockwise to the next chart, read the argument and question written on the chart, and **write a response to the counterargument**, and indicate whether you are utilizing Deny, Minimize, Reverse, and/or Outweigh to make your counterargument .
* Then walk clockwise back to your group’s original chart. Read the claim and two pieces of evidence. **Based on the question, refine your argument to make it stronger.**

**Sample Chart:**

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| **Argument** | **Counterclaim with Reasoning** | **Response** |
| 1. Group #1 writes the full argument (claim + evidence + reasoning).
 | 1. Group #2 writes counterclaim with reasoning.

 | 1. Group #3 writes response to counterargument (you can’t just repeat the original argument).

 **Deny Reverse** **Minimize Outweigh** |