

# C CLAIM



(Thesis statement, Position statement, Topic sentence, Main Idea)

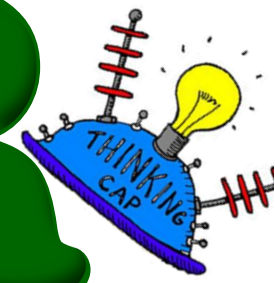
- Your purpose for writing
- What you are going to prove
- Use key words from the writing prompt in your claim

# E EVIDENCE



- Information used to support your argument or claim
- Facts, Reasons, Incidents, Examples, Statistics, (F.R.I.E.S.) and/or details from the text that support your claim
- Can be a direct quote, paraphrase, or data

# R REASONING



- The "Why"
- Demonstration of your thinking
- Way in which evidence proves your claim

# C CONCLUSION



- Restate your claim in other words
- Sum up your thoughts



## CONVENTIONS

### C

- Spelling
- Capitalization
- Punctuation
- Grammar
- Complete sentences
- Third person POV
- Transition words
- Text evidence in quotations

## PRESENTATION

### P

- Quality work and effort are apparent
- The overall piece is neat and pleasant in appearance
- Correct format is used for final product (Typed, proper margins, paragraph structure)