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Date: _____

Arguments

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| 1. A position on a topic | A. CREDIBILITY |
| 2. Information gathered to support or back up reasons. | B. BIAS |
| 3. Trustworthiness of a source. | C. ARGUMENT |
| 4. Expresses a position on a problem or topic supported with reason and evidence. | D. ELABORATION |
| 5. Expanding and adding details to strengthen an argument. | E. CREDIBILITY |
| 6. Uses words with positive or negative feelings to show favor of one side. | F. BIAS |
| 7. A student gave a _____ to have cell phones in schools. | G. CLAIM |
| 8. A piece of _____ is cell phones can be used as a resource to look up definitions of words. | H. CLAIM |
| 9. The reporter's _____ on the topic of cell phones in schools is clear based on her use of words like distraction, ban, and addiction. | I. ARGUMENT |
| 10. Using cell phones could damage the _____ of fair grades because of cheating. | J. EVIDENCE |
| 11. Lauren elaborated her _____ on student cell phone use in school by including statistics from a study on the effect phones have on students. | K. ELABORATION |
| 12. The teacher told Lauren she needed to provide more details and _____. | L. EVIDENCE |