

Claim-Evidence-Reasoning (C-E-R)

Question:

<p style="text-align: center;">C</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Claim)</p> <p>Write a statement that responds to the question.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Evidence)</p> <p>Provide scientific data to support your claim. Your evidence should be <i>appropriate</i> (relevant) and <i>sufficient</i> (enough to convince someone that your claim is correct). Feel free to use bullet points instead of sentences.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">R</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Reasoning)</p> <p>Use scientific principles and knowledge that you have about <u>why</u> your evidence (data) supports your claim. In other words, explain how your data proves your point. Paragraph format!</p>	