

Author's Claim (Multiple Sources)

Have students use the following graphic organizers to determine how evidence from multiple sources strengthens or weakens from the author's claim.

Author's Claim:		
Source	Strengthens	Weakens
Source A:		
Source B:		
Source C:		
Assess the validity of the author's claim:		

Put the source and a "+" (if the evidence strengthens the claim) and a "-" (if the evidence weakens the claim) in the left column and the evidence in the right.

Author's Claim:	
Source (+/-)	Evidence:
Assess the validity of the author's claim:	