

## Counter argument Example

A counter argument gives you the chance to respond to your readers' objections before they have finished reading. It also shows that you are a reasonable person who has considered both sides of the stimulus.

### Steps to follow:

1<sup>st</sup> = Opposing Viewpoint (Think of what someone would say if they disagreed with your claim.)

2<sup>nd</sup> = Evidence/Explanation of the opposing opinion (This would be the opposition's evidence to support their belief.)

3<sup>rd</sup> = Rebuttal (This is what you would say in response to the opposition's opinion. Attack/squash)

4<sup>th</sup> = Rebuttal evidence/explanation (This is evidence to support your rebuttal.)

5<sup>th</sup> = Closing (This is your closing remark.)

~This is a counterargument for an essay on *why trophies **should** be awarded to everyone who participates in sports.*

