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ARTICLE OF THE 'WEEK' Response Sheet

STEP #2: RESPOND-Now that you've closely read the text and added your comments throughout, respond to the text. **USE COMPLETE SENTENCES!**

A. **Summarize**: What is this text about? Summarize the information presented in four to five complete sentences OR find and define two challenging words from the article. Copy the phrase or sentence from the article for each word.

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B. **Audience**: Who is the audience for this text? How do you know? Is there anything in the text that provides clues? For example: Specialized vocabulary? Type of publication?
Example: This article was written for parents of teenagers ***because*** *it gives tips for parents to use and uses the words "your teen" throughout the article.*

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C. **Purpose**: What is the writer's primary purpose in writing this piece? Please choose one of the following: to persuade, inform, and/or entertain. How do you know? Be specific!
Example: The purpose of this article is to inform readers about the dangers of not wearing a helmet while playing football.

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D. **Response**: Use one of the suggested topics OR one of the following: What is your opinion about the article? Do you agree/disagree with the author's thesis? Why?

You must use AND HIGHLIGHT the Evidence Based Terminology.

Here are some examples:

In paragraph ___. . . for instance. . ., based on the information. . ., this incident (fact, data) provides further proof. . ., the author states. . .

HIGHLIGHT ONLY THE TERMINOLOGY- NOT THE WHOLE SENTENCE!

This paragraph should be **at least** five sentences.

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