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**Critical Reading Template  
MHRDAHS**

**Background Questions**

1. What, if anything do I already know about this topic?

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2. Why is this issue important?

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**Reading Questions**

1. I don't know what the following words in the article mean:

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2. I don't understand the following ideas in the article:

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**Vocabulary**

Define the words listed above that you did not know:

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**Application**

Use the definitions you found to rewrite the sentences in the article that did not make sense to you:

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**Summarization Template**

In one sentence, describe what you think is the author's main idea:

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Describe three pieces of evidence that support the author's main idea. Write a sentence for each:

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Rank your pieces of evidence above from "most important" to "least important"

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