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Discussions or Balanced Arguments

Purpose: to present arguments and information from differing viewpoints

Examples

- Should school children wear a uniform?
- Should dogs be kept on a lead in public places?



Structure

- Usually starts with a question
- Opening statement introducing the issue
- Arguments for/against
- Conclusion

Language Features

- Present tense
- Conjunctions
- Third person
- Impersonal voice
- Formal tone
- Technical vocabulary

