

# Persuasive Text Structures

## Going Against the Grain

Some people think

This seems to happen because ...

However I believe ...

But I know people feel strongly ...

Even so I will always ...

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## Story of my Opinion and So ...

What I thought Before

My recent experience

My reaction to it now

And so we must do this

## Alternative Solution

Problem

Conventional solution

The problem with that

Another solution

## Ethos

You know (of) this person

You trust this person

This person says \_\_\_\_\_

It must be true

## Pathos

We value these things

Look what happened

Isn't that sad

We must do this \_\_\_\_\_

## Logos

Here is a point

Reason/Evidence

Proven theories

So

## A Memory

Where you were

Moment it started

Next moment

Final moment

What you thought