

EXAMPLE TOWER DIAGRAM
Counterargument Version 1

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INTRODUCTION

Introductory Option:

Protesters with signs:

Free the animals

Claim:

No animals in circus

Introductory Details:

① Circus definition-Animal acts

② Elephant parade

BODY PARAGRAPH

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A

Reason:

Live naturally

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② Get own food

① Natural habitat

③ Behave naturally

④ Not be kept to a schedule

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BODY PARAGRAPH

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Reason:

Abuse

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③ Tight collars, ropes

① Animals rebel

② Trainers use whips

④ Trainers beat them

⑤ Poor medical care

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BODY PARAGRAPH

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C

Counterarguments:

It's traditional

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① Best way to educate

③ Important roles

② Show they are smart

④ Animals are funny

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CONCLUSION

Concluding Option:

Suggestions

① New ban

② Put them on protected land

③ Strict laws

Concluding Details: