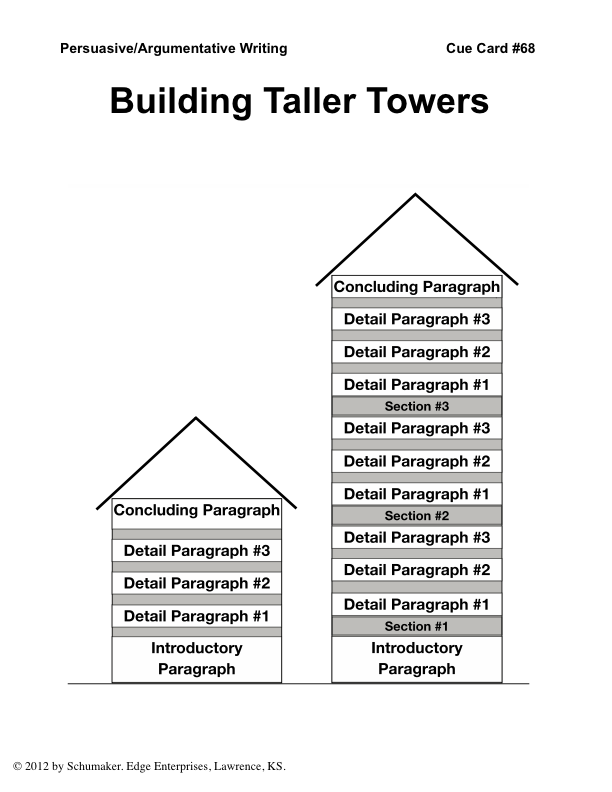
**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #68**

**Building Taller Towers**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #69**

**Introductory Paragraph**

**• Topic Sentence**

**• Names the issue**

**• Detail Sentences**

**• Lead-off Sentences- each**

**Introduce one claim**

**• Follow-up Sentences- Provide**

**background on the claim**

**• Thesis Statement**

**• Mentions the main message**

**• Gracefully leads into the theme**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #70**

**The Sections in the Body**

**• Section 1: Claim 1**

**• At least 2 paragraphs-**

**each paragraph is about a major reason supporting Claim 1**

**• Section 2: Claim 2**

**• At least 2 paragraphs-**

**each paragraph is about a major reason supporting Claim 2**

**• Section 3: Claim 3**

**• At least 2 paragraphs-**

**each paragraph is about a major reason supporting Claim 3**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #71**

**Concluding Paragraph**

**• Concluding Transition**

**Sentence**

**• Includes a Concluding Transition**

**• Names the issue**

**• Detail Sentences**

**• Summarize the claims & reasons**

**• Provide the Concluding Option**

**• Support the chosen claim**

**• Negate the other claims**

**• Clincher Sentence**

**• Mentions the main message**

**• Mentions the chosen claim**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #72**

**Thesis Statement**

**• Names the issue**

**• Names the claims**

**• Mentions the main**

**message of the theme**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #73**

**Topic/Transition**

**Sentences**

**• Includes a transition**

**• Names the issue**

**• Names the claim**

**• Names the reason**

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**Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Cue Card #74**

**Headings**

**• Make headings for sections**

**• Make headings for subtopics**

**if one subtopic has two or**

**more paragraphs**

**Examples:**

**Topic - Asteroids: a New Frontier?**

**Centered headings for sections:**

**Reasons to continue exploration**

**Reasons to stop exploration**

**Ideas supporting exploration**

**Ideas against exploration**

**Flush-left headings for subtopics:**

**New Opportunities**

**Overpopulation of the World**

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