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| Pluto a Planet? Final Argument | | | | |
| Category | 0 Points | 1 Point | 2 Points | 3 Points |
| **Claim about Pluto** | There is no claim | “yes or no Pluto is a planet” | “I think Pluto is or is not a planet because…” | Pluto is or is not a planet… |
| **Evidence from articles** | No Evidence present | 1-2 pieces of evidence is used, but may be unclear or not complete. Or 1 piece of clear evidence. | 2 pieces of evidence clearly used in argument. | 3 or more pieces of evidence clearly used to argument whether Pluto is a planet or not. |
| **Number of sentences** | 2 or less complete sentences. | 3 Complete sentences. | 4 complete sentences. | 5 or more complete sentences. |
| **Pluto’s History** | No facts about Pluto’s history | 1 fact about Pluto’s or its history. | 2 facts about Pluto’s or its history. | 3 facts about Pluto’s or its history. |
| Final Grade:  Grading Scale:  12-11 pts. = A  10 pts. = B  9 pts. = C  8 pts. = D  7pts or less = E  Comments: | | | | |