Argumentative Writing: Developing a Meaningful Counterclaim

Directions: Finding and writing about the opposing viewpoints of others might be a difficult task when it comes to argumentative writing. However, in order to make your argument as strong as it can be, you need to address other viewpoints and then explain why those viewpoints are incorrect.

Advocates of the opposition may say

Because

However, this claim is invalid because

List the reasons for someone who Might support this argument.

Think of a reason that supports your claim AND proves that other people are wrong.