

Artifact: Argumentative research paper about parents' involvement in adolescents' media habits

Course: English 152

Goal: Critical Thinking

For my critical thinking artifact, I chose to submit my first paper that I completed in my English 152 Composition class. The paper was on how parents need to step in and prevent their adolescents from being negatively affected by social media. In this paper, I had to think and come up with several ideas on how parents can help their children stay unaffected by the negative sides of social media. I used many reliable academic sources to back up what I was suggesting and proved that social media does have a negative impact on people. I learned more about all the negative aspects of social media and that are many ways that parents can help stop their children from being addicted.

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Strengths:

- The writer had to create ideas of strategies to improve parental response to social media
- The writer constructed arguments supported with more than just opinion, with support from facts and sources
- The writer used reliable academic sources which confirms that these facts are acceptable to use

Opportunities:

- The writer only focuses on negatives, strong bias linking to stop social media, needs to consider other points of view