**1. Choose an essay** that you can create a social, political, or cultural argument. **Write a Prompt**. Use your types of arguments handout (**Evaluation**: Why is it important?; To what degree should we be concerned?; Is this necessary? **Philosophical:** Agree, Disagree, or Qualify a philosophical observation made. (reaction to a quote)**Yes/No Pro/Con**: Pick a side…. Agree or Disagree **Problem/Solution**: This is a problem…. What is the best solution?

**2. Brainstorm off of the Reasoning Strategies Handout**. It helps to create an acronym for timed writes to remember items on this list.

**3. Brainstorm outside CD’s**

**4. Drafting time Argument**