## Select ONE of the issues raised in our <u>debate</u> and write a well developed, insightful paragraph arguing for your position.

## I will be looking for

- sentence fluency (at least one ing sentence required)
  - strong emotional/persuasive words
    - content (textual support, insight)
      - development
        - mechanics

## TOPICS / SELECT ONE:

- Maya should have found a different job instead of continuing to apply to work on the street cars.
- Maya's Dad should have acted differently when Maya was stabbed by his girlfriend.
  - Maya's uncles were justified in conning whites out of money.

• Maya should have contacted her mom to come get her when she was stabbed instead of staying in an abandoned car in the junk yard.