8-5 Pros & Cons

You will pick one of the following topics and create a list of pros and cons for the topic. You will then write a conclusion saying if you are in favor or against the topic using supporting sentences from your lists.

Topics:

- 1. Four day school weeks with longer days.
- 2. No spring or winter break with a quicker end to the school year.
- 3. School uniforms for all students.
- 4. Lower the driving age to 14.
- 5. Punishment for parents of students who continually misbehave.

Requirements

- 1. Open a <u>blank canvas</u> and save your paper as <u>P8 8-5 last name first name</u>
- 2. Choose any font, size, and color you want for all info.
- 3. Create a text box to use as your header and title your paper 8-5 Pros & Cons
- **4.** Your name, date, and period number should be placed in the right hand side of your header.
- 5. Create a new text box for your title. This should be the name of your topic.
- **6.** Create a new text box to place your pros & cons in.
- 7. This text box should be double spaced.
- **8.** You should create two columns (see my web site)
- **9.** Your first column should be labeled Pros at the top center.
- **10.** Your second column should be labeled Cons at the top center.

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- 11. You should have six pros and six cons aligned to the left.
- 12. Each column, pros & cons, should have some type of bullet in front of it.
- **13.** Create a new text box under your pros & cons to write your conclusion in. This should say if you are in favor or against the topic and should be at least four sentences.
- **14.** Add a background using your **Shapes** and **Arrange** tools.