

## Unplugged Writing Assignment: (1 SOURCE)

(3)

Directions: After reading the articles about being UNPLUGGED, write an argument stating your position (claim) and **cite one example** of evidence from the readings to support your argument.



[Unplugged Articles](#) and Works Cited

### Buckley Model for an “A” (You’ll notice my revisions in the essay.)

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OUZESEFH7GbqV8-id9AjZpBiHWtmhuFvvQ6PS8VTWBI/edit?usp=sharing>

### Rubric

A	C	F
Bold Strong claim	Claim provided	Weak claim
<b>One example of evidence</b> with internal citation underlined	One example given	Missing examples
Counterargument (C/A) highlighted	Missing c/a	Missing c/a
Strong sentence structure	Average sentence structure	Weak sentences
Refutation Italicize MLA Format & Works Cited	Missing Refutation	Missing Refutation

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### Unplugged Articles

Directions: After reading the articles, complete this chart.

1. How do you feel about technology after reading these articles?  <b>(Explain it in your own words.)</b>	
2. Write a thesis statement based on your feelings from the three articles.  <b>Example: Teens must be limited to two hours of daily technology use, for it negatively impacts their minds.</b>	
3. Copy and paste (Control C and Control V) your favorite sentences from each article. <b>Example: "We've locked them indoors because we see the physical world as more dangerous than ever before, even though by almost every measure, we live in the safest society to date" (Boyd).</b>	
"Blame Society Not the Screen Time"	
"Are Smartphones Making Us Stupid"	
"Are We Too Wired"	
4. Record any questions you want to address about this topic.	
Congratulations! You are ready to write a beautiful essay arguing your point! Stay tuned for next week. :)	

