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Spelling Vocabulary H20

Commonly Confused Words · Writing: Argument and Research

Read each definition. Write the spelling word that matches it.

1. _____ where information comes from
2. _____ leaving out; but not
3. _____ unfair favor for one side
4. _____ to come before
5. _____ an opposing claim
6. _____ to change or influence (verb)
7. _____ to go on
8. _____ to restate in your own words
9. _____ famous and respected
10. _____ against the law
11. _____ to agree to take something
12. _____ believable
13. _____ the main claim of an essay
14. _____ copying someone's work
15. _____ about to happen
16. _____ to draw out a response
17. _____ a basic rule or belief
18. _____ a result (noun)
19. _____ naming a source
20. _____ the head of a school

WORD BANK

elicit	except	illicit	source
thesis	imminent	accept	precede
bias	plagiarism	affect	credible
counterclaim	eminent	principal	citation
principle	paraphrase	effect	proceed