Electing the Future

CCSSR Anchor Standard 8. Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.

All of the candidates who are running for election are in charge of the future. They will make choices that affect your future. Analyze two candidates' positions on an issue you care about.

Issue: _____

Candidate 1's Position	***Candidate 2's Position***
_____	_____
_____	_____
Supporting Reasons and Facts:	*Supporting Reasons and Facts:*

Analyze the two positions.
Which candidate supports the position with the strongest evidence?
To figure that out, make a list for each candidate--like the diagram on this page. List the evidence that each candidate provides. Then contrast how relevant the information is and how much each candidate provides to support the position.