

### ARE THEY LACKING IMPORTANT INFORMATION?

1. Show them the information they neglected.
2. Explain why this information should not have been neglected.
3. Explain how this information impacts their argument.

### ARE THEY ASSERTING SOMETHING THAT IS INCORRECT?

1. Gently state what the false assertion is.
2. Explain why this assertion is false.
3. Explain how this false assertion impacts the argument.
4. Propose a correct position and how it leads to a different conclusion.



## HOW TO DISAGREE WELL

1. Can you restate their position accurately in your own words?
2. Can you ask any clarifying questions?
3. Can you state what central questions they are seeking to answer?

### DID THEY MAKE A LOGICAL FALLACY?

1. Did they make a non sequitur (an assertion that doesn't follow from a previous assertion)?
2. Did they make two separate statements that contradict each other?

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1. Point out which assertion does not follow from the previous one.
  2. Explain the effect this has on the argument as a whole.
  3. Propose a logically sound progression.

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1. Point out which two statements are contradictory.
  2. Explain why this impacts the conclusion.
  3. Explain what conclusion holding each assertion separately produces.

### IS THEIR ANALYSIS INCOMPLETE?

1. Commend the other's argument as being sound.
2. State the problem they are trying to solve and describe why it isn't fully solved yet.
3. Propose further implications, details, applications, etc. that would add to the current analysis.