

Persuasive/Argumentative Writing Assignment

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Appropriate for High School Level

The picture below links to a 16-page booklet describing Santa Fe and other parts of northern New Mexico. Read the text, look at the pictures, then write an essay describing in detail why someone might want to visit this area.

Don't merely summarize and paraphrase the text you find in the booklet, organize your reasons for visiting New Mexico into coherent supporting arguments grouping like ideas and using specific references from the material.

Old Santa Fe and Vicinity - Points of Interest and Convenient Trips

