# Natural Resources Line of Inquiry Lesson 1

### **Quiz for Analyzing an Argument Video**

Video: **Analyzing an Argument** 

Read the questions below and circle the correct answer.

#### 1. What is an argument?

- A. An opinion
- B. A fact
- C. A set of ideas that support a point
- D. All of the above

#### 2. Which of the following statements is an example of an argument?

- A. I prefer bigger dogs that like to swim and jog with me.
- B. Bigger dogs are better because they can protect you.
- C. Smaller dogs are better because they are easier to care for and less expensive.
- D. B and C
- E. All of the above

#### 3. Why is it important to understand arguments?

- A. It helps you build stronger arguments.
- B. It helps you understand if others' arguments are strong.
- C. It helps you distinguish between fact and opinion.
- D. A and B
- E. All of the above

### 4. What elements build a strong argument?

- A. Claims
- B. Premise
- C. Conclusion
- D. A and C
- E. All of the above

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- 5. According to this video, what questions should you ask yourself when analyzing an argument?
  - A. Are there problems with the premises?
  - B. Is there sufficient evidence to support the conclusion?
  - C. Do I agree with the conclusion?
  - D. A and B
  - E. All of the above
- 6. How many premises are there in the following argument? Going to college is important. Studies have shown that those who graduate college tend to be happier with their careers. Additionally, college graduates make more money over their lifetime, and they usually get promotions over those who did not attend.
  - A. 0
  - B. 1
  - C. 2
  - D. 3
  - E. 4