

## Note Taking (In Pairs)

Use This Page (and any extras or the back) To Take Thorough/Detailed notes

**Points 5**

- *Go through question by question and find page numbers and rationale and reasons FOR and against your question and begin forming your most powerful argument.*
- *Attribute fallacies where needed.*
- ***You may use computers to research the topic*** of: fallacies, and the philosophy of logic, debates, and other outside research (as long as it can be applicable) to help support your claim.
- ***You may attach your notes using an additional paper(s) to the back of this handout.***

Question 1: **“Do the socs or greasers have it worse?”**

EX. Greasers have it worse due to a variety of conditions that the socs don't suffer from, including poverty, social injustices, greater identity issues, and mostly being stuck in their social class with little ability to rise above their station.

Poverty examples in the book....

(pg #)

Social injustices in the book....

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In fact, their only identity is to something that doesn't have any substance. Johnny says at one point that “greasy” hair was all they could

Stuck in social class.....

**[Eventually, you'll form this information fluidly and easily into your position paper, rephrasing the examples with the outline of a good paper.]**

e.g. Your paragraph one of this topic might begin as follows....

**Q: "Do the socs or greasers have it worse?"**

PARAGRAPH 1: Socs and greasers are at odds, but their treatment is not equal. In fact, we see time and again that greasers are treated much more despairingly and have it much worse. Firstly, they suffer from poverty which the socs have no real concept above and adds to their harsher reality. Early in the book Ponyboy tells the reader, "It bothered me because we live in a kind of lousy neighborhood and our house isn't real great. It's rundown looking and everything, and the inside's kind of poor looking" (Hinton 163). From the start, we see Ponyboy's insecurity about his impoverished living conditions. It not only causes him financial difficulties, but emotional strain as well, something the soc's don't have to deal with..... CONT

Question 2

Question 3

Question 4

Question 5

Question 6