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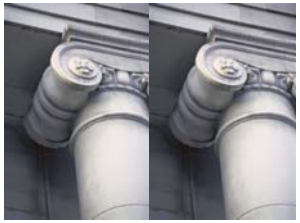
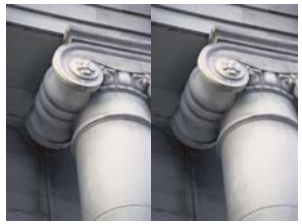


Four Column Method

Critical Reading, Thinking, and Writing



What do I need to know to answer this question?	What do I have to do to answer the question?	What will my answer include?	How can I improve my answer?
Brainstorming	Analysis	Design	Critique
		•**Statement** **S** •**Reasons** **R** •**Evidence** **E**	add details, reasons, and/or examples **A** remove words and ideas that don't make sense **R** move words not in the right place **M** Try using synonyms **S**

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