

## The Two Faces of Little Rock

Examples of content for graphic organizer (for teacher use).

SUPPORT	OPPOSITION
<p>Who supported Mr. Brooks? What reasons do they give for their support?</p>	<p>Who opposed Mr. Brooks? What reasons do they give for their opposition?</p>
<p>Who supported Mr. Brooks? -A minority of the Little Rock School Board -Support from the white community</p> <p>What reasons do they give for their support? -Test scores have improved -"He cares about the kids," said one supporter</p>	<p>Who opposed Mr. Brooks? -A majority of the Little Rock School Board -Opposition from African Americans</p> <p>What reasons do they give for their opposition? -Job cuts decrease the black middle class -Mr. Brooks does not identify with black people</p>

In one to two sentences, summarize the article's main point:

The issue of integration continues to racially divide Little Rock. However, today, a majority of white residents support a black superintendent, while a majority of black residents oppose him.