Handout 20C

Prep for conclusion

Name:

Plaintiff or Defendant:

How will you summarize the conflict in this case? Explain what happened, from your client's perspective.

How is the other side at fault?

What are the strongest facts from the depositions that support your client?

What facts from the depositions hurt your side? How will you explain or address those facts?

Why is the outcome of this case important? What message will this case send to society as a whole if the judges rule for you? What if they rule for your opponent?

How should the judges rule? If they decide that the School Board violated the First Amendment, what should they tell the Defendant to do?

Practice your conclusion with two other students on your team. Have them sign here when finished.