## Part A: Making Predictions

*Based on the title of this news article, what do you think the author believes about the topic?*

Based on the headline, the author might believe ____________________________________________.

I think this because the headline says ____________________________________________.

Based on this headline, I might decide: ____________________________________________.

## Part B. Evaluating Sources for Trustworthiness

When was this article written? ________________________________

How does this date of publication help you determine the trustworthiness of this source?

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Who wrote this article? ____________________________________________

Why might it be important to consider the author when determining whether a source is trustworthy?

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Part C. Evaluating Sources for Main Ideas

What information/evidence does the author give on this topic?

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- ______________________________________________________________
- ______________________________________________________________
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Based on the information/evidence you listed, what does the author believe about the topic?

*Based on the evidence in this article, the author believes _____________________________

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Part D: Considering the Evidence

Based on the evidence in this article, somebody might make this decision about getting a COVID-19 test:

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Evaluating Source #2: “COVID-19 Tests Are Crucial to Controlling the Pandemic”

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Part E: Making Predictions

Based on the title of this news article, what do you think the author believes about the topic?

Based on the headline, the author might believe ____________________________________________

I think this because the headline says ________________________________________________

Based on this headline, I might decide: _______________________________________________

Part F. Evaluating Sources for Trustworthiness

When was this article written? ____________________________

How does this date of publication help you determine the trustworthiness of this source?

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Who wrote this article? ____________________________

Why might it be important to consider the author when determining whether a source is trustworthy?

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**Part G. Evaluating Sources for Main Ideas**

What information/evidence does the author give on this topic?

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Based on the information/evidence you listed, what does the author believe about the topic?

*Based on the evidence in this article, the author believes ________________________________  
__________________________________________________________________________________.*

**Part H: Considering the Evidence**

Based on the evidence in this article, somebody might make this decision about getting a COVID-19 test:

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