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# B. Climate Change: Locating a Main Idea - A Mind Map for the Quest for Truth

Reasoning-Building Tools for this challenge are what, for many years, we have called the 5W’s + 1:

* Who? What? Where? When? Why? How?

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| **QUESTION** | **DETAILS** supporting my responses to the questions | What do these details tell me about the validity of the Main Idea? |
| **What** is happening?   * What does the author do or say? * What is the author expecting? |  |  |
| **Who** is involved?   * What names are mentioned? * What do I learn from the text about these names? |  |  |
| **Where** does this take place?   * In what country? * In what region? * Does it impact me? * In what manner? |  |  |
| **When** does this event take place?   * What dates are mentioned? * What events are mentioned? |  |  |
| **Why** is this happening?   * What are the reasons for the actions of the author or the actions mentioned by the author? * What reasons, actions, dates, and circumstances have been left out? * For what reason/purpose? |  |  |
| **How** is this happening?   * How can we agree or adopt a new perspective * What are the reasons, actions, dates, and circumstances that we might want to include? |  |  |