

# Logical Fallacy Finders Review

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## Understanding Arguments and Reasoning

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about logical fallacies and critical thinking.

1. What does 'Ad Hominem' mean?

- A. Attacking the argument
- B. Attacking the person
- C. Using evidence

2. The \_\_\_\_ fallacy assumes that if one event follows another, the first event caused the second.

3. Why is it important to think critically about arguments?

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4. The Bandwagon Fallacy means believing something just because everyone else does.

- True       False

5. What is Circular Reasoning?

- A. Using evidence to support an argument
- B. Using the conclusion to prove the premise
- C. Attacking the person making the argument

6. Can you think of a time someone used a weak argument? Describe it.

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7. The heart of one who has understanding seeks \_\_\_\_.

8. Faulty reasoning strengthens an argument.

- True       False

9. Which of the following is an example of a logical fallacy?

- A. Using facts to support your argument
- B. Attacking someone's character instead of their argument
- C. Asking questions to clarify

10. How might we respond to a fallacy kindly?

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Answer Key

1. Attacking the person 2. False Cause 3. Thinking critically helps us understand the truth and avoid being misled by false reasoning. 4. True 5. Using the conclusion to prove the premise 6. I once heard someone say we should do something just because all my friends were doing it, which is an example of a Bandwagon Fallacy. 7. knowledge 8. False 9. Attacking someone's character instead of their argument 10. We can ask questions to understand their point better and share our thoughts without being rude.