**TOPICS for ARGUMENT IN SCIENCE**

**CHEMISTRY**

Acid rain

Acid mine drainage

Artificial ingredients/ Food additives

Artificial sweeteners/aspartame,

Biofuel/corn/ethanol

Bottled H20

BP’s in plastics

BPA – bisphenol A

Chemicals in cigarettes

Chemical plants

diesel or gas, which one is

better for your car

Diesel fumes

Drugs/patents

Dry cleaning chemicals

Flame retardants in furniture and baby clothes

Fluoride in H20

Formaldehyde paneling

Gas additives

GMOs

Hydrogen cars

Lead

Lead in children

Mercury

Mercury in filings

MSG

Nicotine replacement

NO’x air pollution

Particulates

Pesticides in mattresses

Pesticides/roundup, etc.

Plastics

Recycling / chemicals

Road salt

Salt/hypertension

Triclosan/antibacterials

**BIOLOGY**

Acid mine drainage

Acid rain

Antibiotics in animals

Aspartame

Bio fuel/ethanol

Biofuel plants

Biomass Production System

Black mold

Bottled H20

BPAs – biphenyl A

Brownfields

Butter vs margarine

Buying locally

Clearcutting/cowbirds

COPD – cigarettes

Cutting trees in national

parks

Clearcutting forests/cowbirds

Diet drinks

Diesel fumes

Distilled vs. tap water vs. spring

DNA collection

Dry cleaning chemicals

Endangered species

energy drinks

Food additives/MSG/

coloring, etc

Fossil fuels & nutrition

Flu shots

Genetically modified organisms (GMOs)

Grass fed vs corn fed beef (forced feeding)

High fructose corn syrup

Hot fries – snack foods as meals

Hunting deer

Indoor air pollution

Inhaler risk/benefit

Invasive species

Lead in children

Learning styles

Left brain/right brain

Letters or numbers – which should you learn first?

Light pollution

Microwaves

Mountain Dew

Natural vs organic foods

Nicotine replacement

Particulates in the air

Pesticides

Plastics – use

Organic v. grass-fed vs. corn fed beef

Pesticides in mattresses

Population

Regular Coke vs Diet Coke, which is better for you?

Road salt

Salmonella poisoning

Salt/hypertension

Sanitizers in antibacterial

Triclosan/antibacterials

Urban sprawl

Vaccines

Vaccines & ADHD?

Water pollutants

Wolf reintroduction

**EARTH SCIENCE**

Coal mining/mountain top removal

Drilling

Electromagnetism from power lines or appliances

Fracking

Glaziers melting

Global warming

Light pollution

Logging

Microwaves

Mountain top removal

Noise pollution

Nuclear power

Ozone layer

Pipeline through Kentucky

Rain Forest

Recycling

Solar energy/Solar Power

Tesla vs free electricity

Wind

Water pollutants