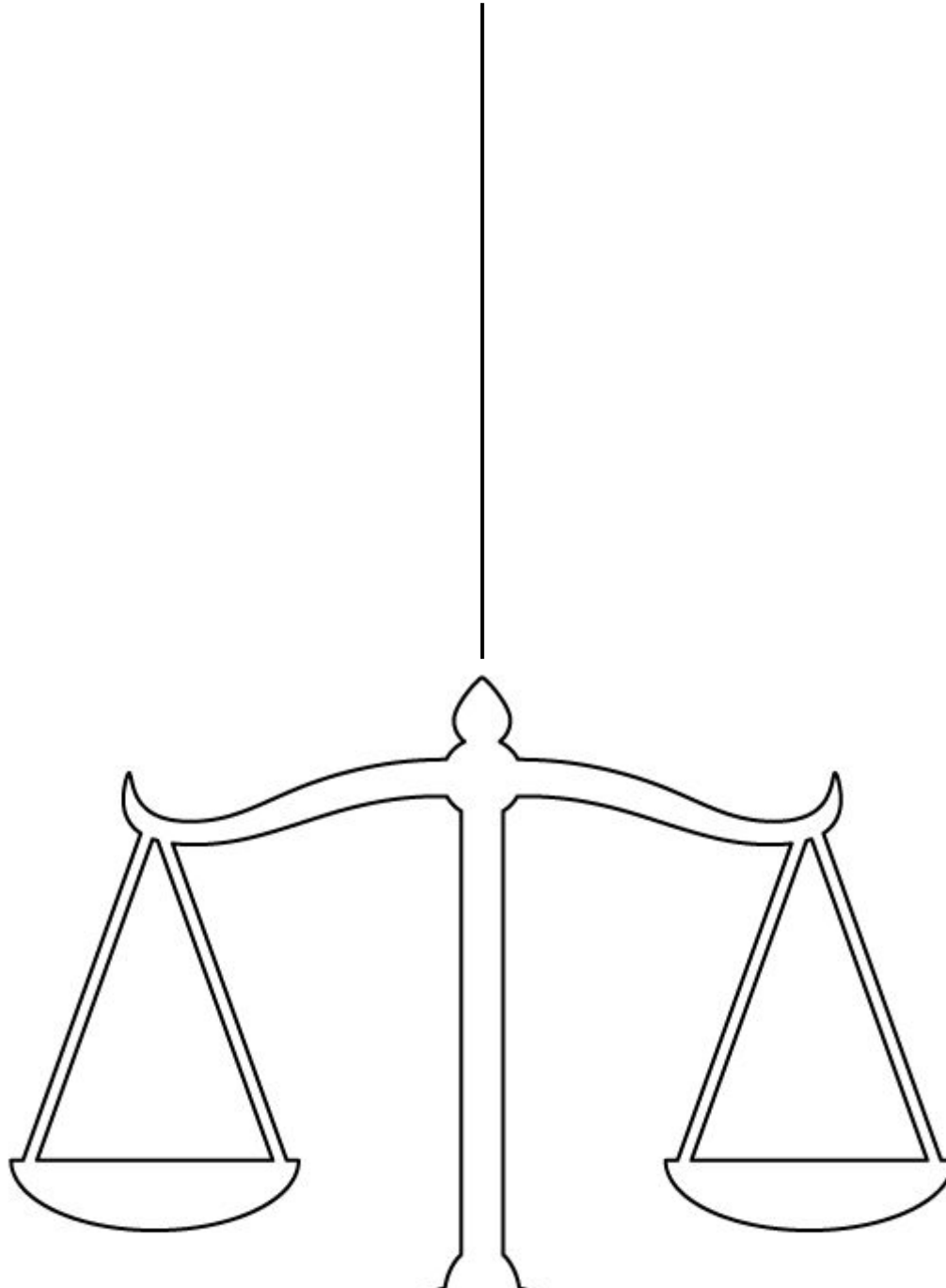


PACIFISM

JUST WAR THEORY



Pacifism and Just War Theory

You will use this handout to evaluate the validity of pacifism and just-war theory. This can be done either on your own or with a partner.

Instructions:

- Find arguments for both pacifism and just-war theory and place them on either side of scales. Ensure that some of the arguments you find are Biblically based and then include the Bible reference.
- Write these arguments in pencil. When you're done, you must evaluate which of the arguments are the strongest, and which are the weakest. Those arguments that are the weakest, outline in black; the arguments that are a little stronger can be outlined in green; and those that are the strongest, outline in red.

Rubric:

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Required Elements	There are at least 5 arguments for each position. Some of these are Biblically-based and include references.	There are at least 5 arguments for each position. Some of these are Biblically-based.	There are at least 5 arguments for each side.	There are fewer than 5 arguments for each position.
Clarity of Arguments	All arguments are outlined indicating the arguments strength.	Most of the arguments are outlined indicating the arguments strength.	Some of the arguments are outlined indicating the arguments strength.	Few of the arguments are outlined indicating the arguments strength.