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Claim or Evidence?

Objective: Read each sentence and label it **C** for **Claim** or **E** for **Evidence**.

1. Students should be allowed to use calculators during math tests.

2. A recent study found that students who used calculators scored 12% higher on average.

3. School lunches should include more fresh fruits and vegetables.

4. According to the USDA, most school lunches contain more than the recommended amount of sodium.

5. All middle school students should participate in at least one extracurricular activity.

6. Studies show that students who participate in clubs or sports have better attendance and higher GPAs.

7. Reading fiction helps students develop empathy and critical thinking skills.

8. Brain scans of frequent readers show increased activity in areas related to imagination and understanding others' emotions.

9. Students should be allowed to nap during long school days.

10. According to sleep experts, teenagers need at least 8 hours of sleep per night, but most get less than 7.
