



## FRAMEWORK OF THINKING

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Quandary (*noun*): A difficult decision or situation

Use this worksheet to think through a difficult dilemma using the *Quandary* framework of thinking.

1. Describe the quandary you are working on in detail:

2. List 8 stakeholders who are involved in the quandary or affected by it:

1	2
3	4
5	6
7	8

**3. List 4 facts, 4 potential solutions, and 4 opinions related to the quandary. Think about what information, suggestions, and opinions the stakeholders may have based on their position.**

<i>Fact 1:</i>	<i>Fact 2:</i>
<i>Fact 3:</i>	<i>Fact 4:</i>
<i>Opinion 1:</i>	<i>Opinion 2:</i>
<i>Opinion 3:</i>	<i>Opinion 4:</i>
<i>Solution 1:</i>	<i>Solution 2:</i>
<i>Solution 3:</i>	<i>Solution 4:</i>

**4. Choose 2 of the solutions you listed above to explore further, and state why:**

*Solution A:*

*Reason:*

*Solution B:*

*Reason:*

<b>Stakeholder</b>	<b>Reaction to Solution A:</b>	<b>Reaction to Solution B:</b>

Stakeholder	Reaction to Solution A:	Reaction to Solution B:

6. The facts you identified in section 3 may affect how the stakeholders feel about each solution. Below, describe how the facts could affect their reactions:

Stakeholder	Updated Reaction to Solution A:	Updated Reaction to Solution B:

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**7. Based on your analysis, which solution do you think is best, and why?**

**8. Which stakeholders do you think will agree with your chosen solution, and which will disagree?**

AGREE	DISAGREE

**9. Describe what you think would happen because of your solution. Do you think that is a good outcome? How could you make it better?**