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**AP Bonus #2: Argument Question**

(Time Alloted—40 minutes)

Growing up, we have all been told stories. Some make us laugh, and some make us cry. Some are true and some are imaginative. Some are harmless, yet some are destructive.

And in telling these stories you have been shaped into the person you are today.

Write a well-constructed essay that defends, challenges, or qualifies this statement—or some part of this statement—using your own knowledge, experience, observation, or reading.

Use the space below to plan your response before you begin writing.