



Activity 4.2: Letter to the Editor

Based on current data, what kind of drought conditions do we expect in the near future? Write a letter to the editor that explains current drought conditions in your community. To find current drought conditions, use the data sources from Activity 2.2 and [Colorado's Drought Response tool](#).

Your letter should include:

- Address the letter "Dear Editor,"
- The first sentence should introduce the topic, and explain why readers should be concerned about drought
- What conditions lead to drought
- Explain the current drought conditions (include data on current snowpack levels, reservoir storage, and drought intensity)
- Suggest a drought resilience strategy (to either prepare for a future drought, or respond to a current drought).

