

AP English Language Research Project
Step 6 – Formatted Sources

Compare sources with those of your topic group. Together, choose excerpts from 12 sources total that show the various complexities of your topic. Also make sure that the ones you ultimately choose are from a variety of locations and types according to the rules outlined in Step 4.

Follow the examples given regarding how final copies of your sources should look.

1. Make sure that each is no more than one page long. Remember you're using excerpts!
2. Give Citation information at the top of each source.
3. Give "plain-English" background information about the source's origins.

Consider that your projects will be given to future generations of AP students as examples of what a synthesis prompt looks like.

Hand in your final 12 formatted sources in a packet with your final Prompt Page (see below – Step 7)

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Step 7 – Revised Final Draft of Question Prompt

Research often takes us in directions we didn't know existed until we started looking! Since you may have made changes to your Prompt Page as you've acquired sources and learned more about your topic, as a group turn in a final draft at this time with your sources!

Be sure to label the prompt page with a list of sources and citations, now that you know them!