Complete the following questions for three (3) articles related to your chosen topic that you have found in the database Academic Search Complete (ASC)—that means completing one set of questions 1-3 for each article. These must be NEW articles (those that have not been previously submitted as part of another assignment).

1. Citation
Write the correct full MLA citation for the source. The tutorial for ASC in Blackboard will show you where to find this citation—or you might want to use the website EasyBib.com (avoid using other citation websites as many of them are merely "diet" versions of EasyBib and may not be current!)

*If you are unsure how to cite a particular source, please contact me or a Library Live! librarian.*

2. Evaluation Score
Use the Source Evaluation Score Sheet to ascertain the general credibility of your article. Remember that for Popular sources a score of 3-8 is considered passing, however 0-2 is failing and the article cannot be used! Similarly for Scholarly sources: 6-8 is considered passing, however 0-5 is failing and the article cannot be used!

*If the article does not have a passing Source Evaluation Score--DO NOT USE IT! It will earn a "0".*

3. Summary
Summarize the argument made by the article you have chosen from ASC using the step-by-step guidelines from eNotes tutorial "How to Write a Summary". Remember that your summary should not exceed 5-6 sentences!

4. Response
What relevant material does this article add to your research essay project? Does the article support your thesis? Does it challenge your thesis? Did the article give you something new to consider in relation to your thesis? Be specific and use at least one (1) direct example from the article in your response.

*Be sure to number each item listed above for clarity in your activity!* 

Length: 600 words (minimum) for the entry of each article (That’s 1800 words minimum in total).

Note: There is a detailed tutorial for using Academic Search Complete available in Blackboard under “Tutorials”. This tutorial includes search strategies and tips on discerning if an article is POPULAR vs. SCHOLARLY.