

Research Note Cards

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Objectives

Students will be able to utilize note cards to record research notes.

Note Card Template - Front

Topic - Subtopic

Source ID

Notes:

Page #

Note Card Template - Back

Your Name

Why is it important to put your name on
EVERY note card?

Types of Notes

- Fact
- Quote

We will discuss how taking these different notes requires different information.

What is a FACT?

"something that actually exists; reality; truth"

When taking FACT notes:

- Essential words ONLY
- Be Accurate
- No Complete Sentences

How to Write Out a Quote

Only use a direct quote when the author is discussing something that cannot be easily reworded or paraphrased

- Write word-for-word what you see on the screen or in the book.
- Don't leave anything out
- Add quotation marks
- Write the word “quote” on the card

Additional Suggestions

- Relevant
- Understandable
- One item per card

How many do I need?

Enough to answer the required questions and support with details.



Your Assignment

- Pick 5 Resources from your Annotated Bibliography
 - 1 Print/Book
 - 1 Database
 - 1 Website
 - 2 of YOUR CHOICE
- Write 5 note cards for each resource

You will have 25 note cards by the end!

Questions

Do you have questions about
taking notes?