My Research Project: Respond to Sources

As you take notes, you’ll gain a deeper understanding of your sources, both individually and collectively. Use your knowledge of your sources to create a response. Your response can be useful later as you plan and draft your project document. Use one or more of the following prompts as the basis for your response.

* What do you agree with in one or more of your sources? Briefly summarize the idea or argument with which you agree and then explain why you agree.
* What do you disagree with in one or more of your sources? Briefly summarize the idea or argument with which you disagree and then explain why you disagree.
* What do you see as the most important idea emerging from your research so far? Briefly summarize the idea and then explain its importance.
* Why do you think one or more of the authors you’ve taken notes on so far approach the issue as they have? Briefly describe their approach and then explain why they are taking it.
* What approach do you think should be taken on this issue? Briefly describe the approach and then explain its importance.