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Choosing a Topic	Tips from Duke University Libraries
Pro Con Topics	Multiple topics also listed under ACLU link
Social Issues	List of current social issues and sources representing multiple perspectives from Multnomah County Library

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A+ Research and Writing Guide	Step-by-step instructions for research and writing a paper, plus links to other online resources for finding information.
The Nuts and Bolts of College Writing	A more sophisticated guide to writing essays, argumentative papers, generate ideas, strategies for mapping an argument and many of the elements of style
The Writing Process	Online Writing Lab (OWL) from Purdue University; see the navigation bar on the right side

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GBN database sources	Samples of various GBN database articles or books
MLA Formatting and Style Guide	OWL from Purdue University; scroll to the bottom for specific types of sources
Primary Sources	Every primary source has at least two parts: the original source itself and where you found it published

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