

STEP 1: Label the columns with the perspectives.

STEP 2: Read each source individually, recording details based on the column/perspective they support.

STEP 3: After reading all the sources, determine which perspective/column has the most textual evidence— align with that side.

STEP 4: Looking at only the strongest side, synthesize reasons.

STEP 5: Repeat this process to synthesize 3 different reasons.

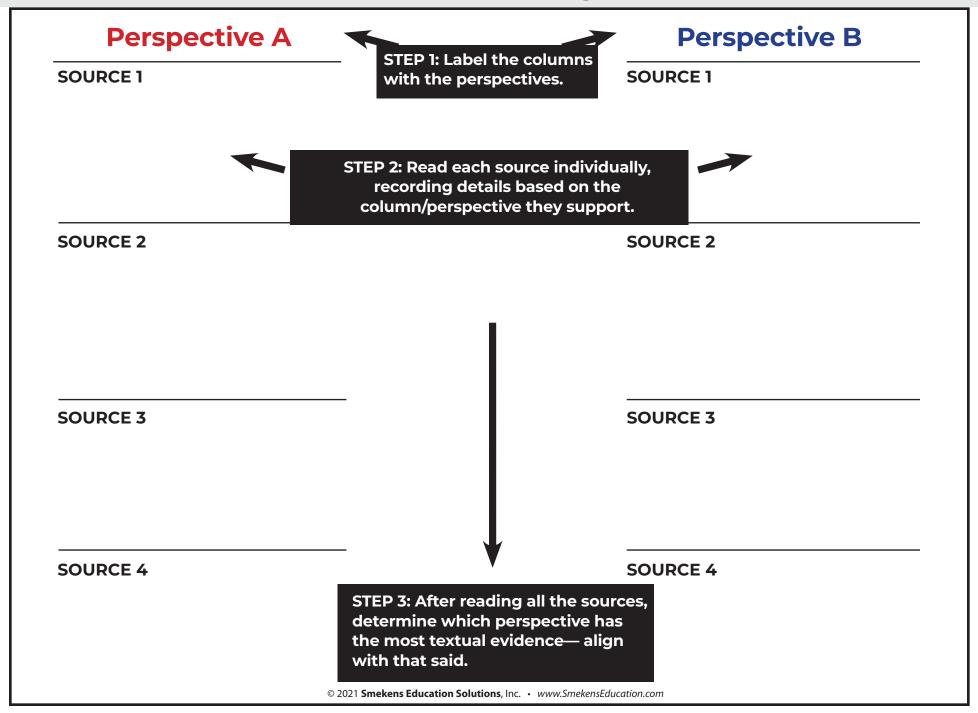
STEP 6: Put each synthesized reason through the *Synthesis Test*.

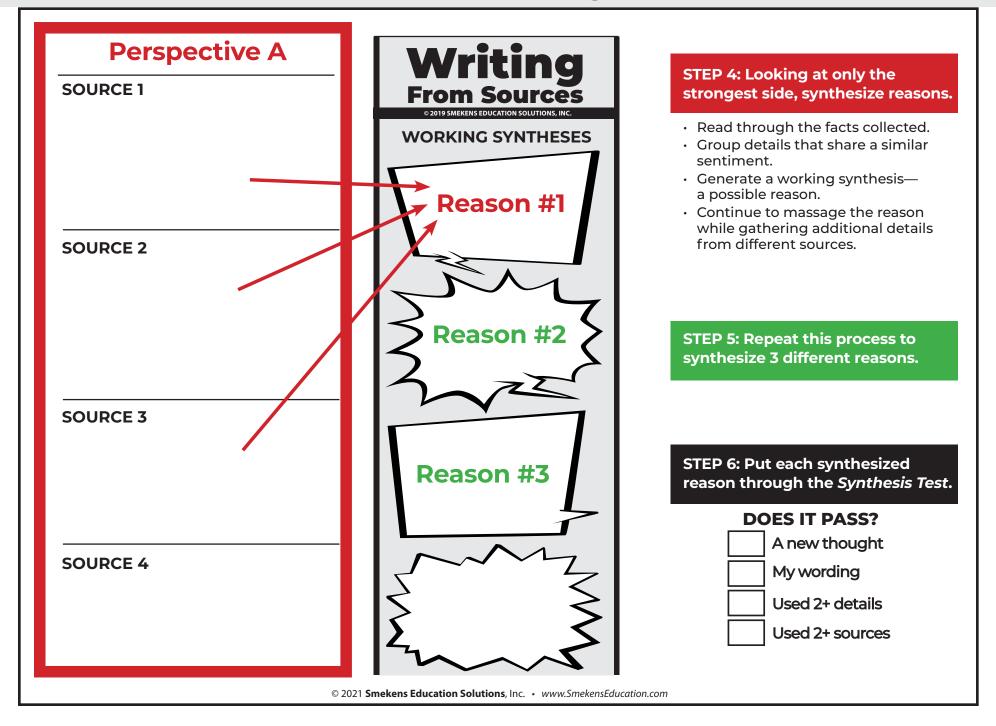
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STEP 9: Put the synthesized counterclaim through the *Synthesis Test*.

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STEP 8: Synthesize one reason in support of the counterargument.

- · Read through the facts collected.
- · Group details that share a similar sentiment.
- · Generate a working synthesis a possible reason.
- · Continue to massage the reason while gathering additional details from different sources.

STEP 9: Put the synthesized counterclaim through the Synthesis Test.

DOES IT PASS?

A new thought

My wording

Used 2+ details

Used 2+ sources

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