



## Developing Well-Supported Topics

### Today's Standard

9-10.WHST.2b - Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.

Cues	Notes
Reliable sources	Reliable sources are those that provide accurate, unbiased, and well-supported information.
Summarizing information	Summarizing information involves condensing the main points of a source in your own words.
Using quotations	Using quotations means incorporating exact words from a source to support your writing.
Evaluating credibility	Evaluating credibility involves checking the author's credentials, publication date, and source citations.
Relevance of information	Relevance of information refers to how closely the details support the main topic or argument.

### Summary

Developing a topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts involves using reliable sources, summarizing information, incorporating quotations, evaluating the credibility of sources, and ensuring the relevance of information.