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I Search Draft Reading Sheet

Per: _____

Writer's Name: _____ Topic: _____

Focused Question: _____

Before Reading

I've **heard** these things about it:

I **know** these things about it:

I **think/feel** this way about it:

During Reading

(Circle the descriptor that best applies)

Parenthetical Citations:

Citations used often enough (paper has enough resources); citations used appropriately- at right time and in correct format	Paper does not seem to have enough resources; citations used most of the time- limited occasions where citations not used or documented incorrectly	Limited citations- paper has insufficient resources, citations not used when required- limited documentation; format largely incorrect
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Research:

Information is reliable, relevant; adequate amount of information to support the paper/ display evidence. Paper answers, or comes closer to answering, the question.	Paper attempts to answer the question, but may lack enough adequate or convincing evidence; some of the evidence/research may have been interpreted or used incorrectly	Inadequate or non-relevant sources; paper does not attempt to answer the question; off-topic or unacceptably brief; possibly invalid question
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Organization:

Clear, well organized; easy to follow; reader is lead to same conclusions as the author by way of logical order and development	Minor lapses in organization or development- do not interfere with overall understanding	Some lapses here make the writing, research, or conclusions hard to follow in places	Difficult to understand where the paper is going; lack of organization interferes with understanding; paper strays from the original question or contradicts itself
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Conventions:

Error free; paper uses correct grammar and spelling; proofread well	Occasional minor errors, isolated and infrequent; some revision necessary	Errors more apparent/frequent; problems obviously missed in proofreading stage	Consistent errors; reading & understanding impaired- no evidence of proofreading or editing
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MLA Style/Format (1" margins, last name/page # at top, etc.):

Yes

Most of the time

Seldom

After Reading

I've **learned** these things by reading the paper:

The paper has **changed** the way I **think/feel** about the topic by:

These are some things I **still want to know** after reading the paper: