**Response Starters**

After

Although

An important

As a result

Because of

Before

Despite

I believe

I doubt

I guess

I question

I suppose

I think

I wonder

I’m certain

I’m certain

I’m not sure

I’m surprised

If

In my opinion

Instead of

Just because

Maybe

Perhaps

Since

The problem

This reminds me

Throughout

Unless

Whatever

When

While

**Quotes**

Write a direct quote on this side of the paper and respond on the other side.

What should I quote? Select something that:

* Makes you angry
* Surprises you
* You consider repeating
* Doesn’t fit with your world view- you disagree with
* Fits in your world view or explains or describes what you believe
* You feel is wrong information
* Is said in an unusual, catchy way
* Is important for your family, your peer group, your community, your nation, your world
* You would like to discuss it
* Reminds you of a similar situation
* Describes a theme