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### Research Notes Rubric

**8 Required Sources:** -10% for each missing source

\_\_\_\_\_ Encyclopedia      \_\_\_\_\_ Database      \_\_\_\_\_ Website  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ Book (Optional)      \_\_\_\_\_ Database      \_\_\_\_\_ Website  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

|   | <b>A</b>  | <b>B</b>   | <b>C</b>   | <b>D/F</b>  |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| <b>Cover Page</b>   | Cover includes necessary works marked so that notes are clearly identified with source. | Cover includes necessary works; notes are not clearly identified.              | Cover includes some works; notes are not clearly identified.                   | Cover includes few works and connection to notes is unclear.      |
| <b>Categories</b><br>(Separate pages for research categories required)                    | Separate page for at least 10 research categories                                       | Separate page for 7 to 9 research categories.                                  | Separate page for 5 to 6 research categories                                   | Separate page for less than 5 research categories.                |
| <b>Note Format</b><br>(Abbreviations, symbols, bullets, and other notation aids expected) | NOT complete sentences; key points stand out; notation aids used well.                  | Too much in complete sentences; notation aids not used well.                   | Complete sentences; key points unclear; few notation aids used.                | Copied almost word-for-word from the source. Hardly notes at all. |
| <b>Knowledge Demonstrated</b>   | Notes are deep and wide; thorough and extensive exploration of the peron.               | Notes are acceptable, but missing information in some major areas of research. | Notes are adequate, but missing crucial information or too vague to be useful. | Notes are shallow and superficial. Little detailed information.   |
| <b>Effort</b>   | An exceptional amount of time and effort was put into the notes.                        | A good amount of time and effort was put into the notes.                       | A fair amount of time and effort was put into the notes.                       | Little time and effort apparent in the notes.                     |
| <b>Works Cited</b>  | All sources are accurately documented in MLA format.                                    | One-two errors.  | Three-four errors.   | Five-six errors.  |

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ out of 100