

## Native Articles: Analyzing Source

**Directions:** Select 3 of the native articles and complete the following chart for each article to analyze the source information.

Title of Article
Date of Article
Who is the author? What is the name of the source?
What are the author's qualifications for writing on the subject? Is the author an authority in the subject area? How does the author present the subject and his/her expertise?
Do the acknowledgements and bibliography indicate thoughtful research? (cite your sources)

**Quotations:** Your choices should be significant to and representative of the article and your reflection should include discussion of this significance. Put your choices in order.

Quotation	Explanation and Reflection

Who is the target audience for this article? Support your response with evidence.

Tone: Describe the author's attitude toward the subject of this article.

Purpose: Based on your reading and taking the target audience into consideration, formulate a claim about what this author hopes will come about as a result of reading this article.

What are some of the choices made by the author that help support his or her purpose? Consider the writer's tone, or the way the text is organized, or the specific details the writer chooses to include, or the way the writer uses language to achieve his or her purpose.