

## Database Article Portfolio Piece

### Step 1: Identify

Identify one of the main conflicts in your novel and use that to come up with a claim. (Remember what we did on the lesson day with *Of Mice and Men*).

**Conflict in your novel:**

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**Claim:** Write this in the first box of the chart below.

### Step 2: Connect

Choose an era/ism where you feel this idea might fit and justify why you chose that era/ism by filling in the appropriate boxes in the chart below.

Claim	Era / Ism	Related Ideals	Justification How do you see this idea in a text from the era/ism?

### Step 3: Find an Article

- Using the “find a database” tab on the learning commons website (I would suggest using the MAS - Ultra School Edition) find the article you believe will support your claim.
- Choose two pieces of evidence and record them in the chart.
- Explain how the article relates to the conflict claim you made about your book.

**Your chart is on the back of this page.**

