

Name _____

Topic to Thesis:

Why is this person or event important?

What time period did this person live or this event take place?

What other important historical events were taking place during this event or during the person's life?

At the time of this event or during this person's life, what did people think about it or him/her?

As you read about your topic in reference material, what are words that keep coming up in the articles?

Now take this information and write a sentence that introduces your topic and explains why it or the person is important.