## Statements to Investigate Day 1 Topics for your Semester-Long Writing Project

Google one or more of these statements.

- 1. Climate change is not real.
- 2. Racial categories are based on biological facts .
- 3. Alcohol is good for you.
- 4. Marijuana is not harmful.
- 5. Vaccines cause autism.
- 6. Race-based medicine is effective.
- 7. Evolution is not true.
- 8. Guns are not a problem in America.
- 9. Sexual orientation is a choice.
- 10. Football is safe to play.
- 11. Diet drinks help people lose weight.
- 12. Eating GMOs gives you bad DNA.
- 13. Cell phones cause cancer.
- 14. Vaping is safe.
- 15. Social media is a reliable source for news.
- 16. Addiction is a sign of moral weakness.
- 17. All-nighters help you learn.
- 18. Procrastinators work best under pressure.
- 19. Loud music is harmless.
- 20. Driving with hands-free cell phone is safe.
- 21. Students can multi-task and do all tasks well.
- 22. There is no benefit for thank you notes.
- 23. Consuming sugar does not affect me.
- 24. Caffeine does not affect me.

Can you find any data to support these statements?

Can you find opposing web sites?

Do any web sites provide supporting data?