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Choose one of the topic areas below that interests you:

music and mental health

diversity in education

rehabilitation vs. prison

obesity in American society

What is a question you have about the topic?

Research the answer, and identify several conflicting viewpoints relevant to the topic.

Viewpoint #1.

Viewpoint #2.

Think about what you have learned and take a position on the topic.

My position is _____

What evidence do you plan to use to support your claim?

On a separate page, write a thesis statement that introduces your position, and gives the reader an indication of what to expect from your argument.