Paper 2 Core Values

How did the writing exercises we did in class help you to develop your paper ideas and see the connections between your sources?

**Core Value 4:** As you were searching for sources, how did you determine whether they were reliable? Briefly list what type of sources you used in this paper.

I leveraged three academic papers and one informational YouTube video as supplementary information in my paper on refrigerant usage. Since academic papers are typically reliable, especially those found on subscription databases, it is likely that they are safe and reliable to use as a source. On the other hand, YouTube videos can be sketchy when it comes to reliability, especially those that are sponsored by external corporate entities. The channel that I sourced from has never taken a sponsorship to my knowledge, and has been reliable for

**Core Value 5:** Briefly describe why you think this is an important topic—and why it matters to you personally.