





• Take all of this with a pinch of salt.

emotional language might be a useful indicator.

be expected.

• If you're researching people's feelings on a particular topic,



• The point is not to assume the absolute truth of

something when it may be one person's opinion...

• If you're looking at experts, spelling and grammar are to



• **Use solid supporting evidence for your argument.**

• but this goes for large-scale newspaper sources, too!

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WRITING ABOUT MUSIC WRITING FIRST

improvements.

how they describe and analyze music.

• He critiques the style of four music writers, suggesting



• Christgau feels that music writers should pay closer attention to