**Choose the three most important ideas from your source:**

Now you must prioritize the most important ideas from your brainstormed list. What is essential for you to talk about from this reading? What is so important that, if you leave it out, the author would not be accurately represented?

Each one of these three ideas will become a CLAIM that you make about the reading in your paragraph. Think about what order it makes the most sense to present them. List them under the 1., 2., and 3.