Audit Source Credibility

Grades 11-12 | Research literacy | Advanced

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For each source description, identify its strongest credibility signal, a limitation, and one verification step.

A peer-reviewed study with a small sample from one city.

Answer: _____

A government dataset updated last month with documented methods.

Answer: _____

An expert opinion article funded by an interested company.

Answer: _____

A viral chart with no source link or labeled axes.

Answer: _____

Grown-up check: Answers should evaluate authorship, evidence, methods, date, purpose, and independent corroboration.

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