Evaluating sources

Are your information sources...?

Relevant
- Are the sources appropriate?
- Does the information address the issues?
- Does the resource use primary or secondary resources?
- Is the resource too general or oversimplified?

Current
- When was the resource published?
- What is the copyright date?
- Is there a revision date?

Accurate
- Are references and statistics from reliable sources?
- Is the research material not quoted out of context?
- Has the article been peer reviewed?

Reliable
- Is the information verifiable?
- Is the information reputable?
- Is the author an authority?
- Is the publication/website reliable?

Of depth
- Does the resource take a global or local perspective?
- Is the conclusion specific?
- Are all aspects covered?