

## Creative Extension Option #2 – Diary Entry

Compose a one-page diary entry from the perspective of the author of your document. Through their voice, explain and include:

1. What motivated them to take action
2. How they understand religious liberty
3. What they hoped to change or achieve through their actions
4. At least one direct quote from your primary source document into the diary entry

*Date of Entry:*

*Diary Entry of* \_\_\_\_\_

### **Possible sentence starters for the author of your document’s perspective –**

the following are optional supports and do not need to be used in this order:

<i>It came to my attention that...</i>	Introduce the situation or context
<i>I wrote in my letter, "..."</i>	Introduce a quote from your document
<i>I needed to take action because...</i>	Show the author’s motivation
<i>This was important to me because...</i>	Emphasize what the author values
<i>To me, <b>religious liberty</b> means...</i>	Explain what <b>religious liberty</b> means to the author
<i>I believe civic participation is important because...</i>	Additional important context
<i>I want to make sure that...</i>	Explain what the author hoped to achieve
<i>We need to change...</i>	Explain what the author hoped to change
<i>Ultimately, I hope that...</i>	Conclude the entry