Introducing Standard Views & Identifying General Agreement

Directions: Write two statements to identify public views of your issue and two statements to identify scholarly views of your issue.

- **Public View:** When it comes to literacy, what common assumptions do people generally make? What common views or knowledge do they rely on? What are people likely to agree on when it comes to literacy?

- **Scholarly View:** When it comes to literacy, what common assumptions do scholars generally make? What common views or knowledge do they rely on? What are scholars likely to agree on when it comes to literacy?

Use the following templates for both sets of statements, or construct your statement without the help of the templates.

- The standard way of thinking about literacy has it that....
- It is often said that....
- My whole life I have heard it said that....
- Many people would assume that....

See p. 24 templates for further options.