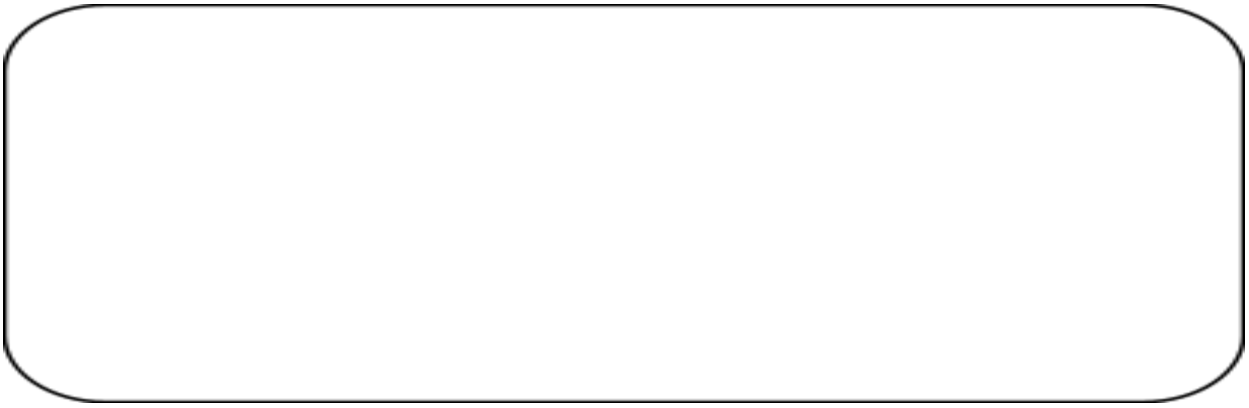
A Simple Research Plan

Let's formulate a plan for your research. You will now come up with some keywords to help you search the most appropriate resources for your topic.

Keywords

Keywords are important words or concepts associated with your essential question. Together, they are the "key" that will unlock the door to information on your topic!

Write your essential question:



List some supporting questions that will help you gather the information you need to answer your essential question:

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

Circle the keywords in your essential and supporting questions, and record them on the table on the next page. Additionally, record synonyms, related words, and broader and narrower topics.

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Keywords or Concepts	Synonyms or Related Words	Broader or Narrower Topics
Example: *ADHD* *Child(ren)* *Diet*	*ADD* *Kid(s)* *Nutrition*	*Brain disorders* *Inattentiveness* *Hyperactivity* *Impulsivity* *Food*

Best Resources for Your Research

Using the Making a Judgment Call chart, list the best resources for finding information on your topic.

Now, use your keywords to search the resources that you have chosen. Also, don't forget to record your citation information *as you do your research*!

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