



## **Research Proposal Template**

Student Name:
Department:
Unit Name:
Unit Code:

# **Project Outline & Aims** (500 words)

- In Clear Language: Briefly explain the goals of your research, potential benefits, and any anticipated risks.
- Avoiding Jargon: If technical terms are used, provide clear explanations for a general audience.

## **Proposed Research Methods (Experimental Design)** (500 words)

- Step-by-Step Breakdown: Outline your research methods in a clear, chronological order.
- Layman's Terms: Avoid technical jargon and explain the process in easy-to-understand language.
- Key Tasks: Describe how data will be collected, analysed, and used throughout the research.
- Location and Collaboration: Specify if the research will be conducted outside the UK, involve international partners, or utilize online methods.

## Potential Risks & Management (300 words)

- Participant Risks: Identify any potential risks to participants, both physical and psychological.
- Researcher Risks: Consider any potential risks to yourself or your research team.
- Risk Management: Explain the procedures you will implement to minimize risks (attach risk assessments if available).

## Confidentiality

• Explain how you will ensure participant confidentiality throughout the research process.

#### **Additional Notes:**

• Feel free to adjust the section titles and word limits to fit your specific research project.