

RESEARCH LOG **EXAMPLE**

My Research Question/Thesis Statment	Keywords, search terms, subject headings about my topic:
How do countries other than the United States regulate gun ownership, and how does that regulation impact rates of mass shootings?	<p>Gun violence, gun control, mass shootings, school shootings, gun ownership, gun laws, firearms, National Rifle Association, United States Constitution, federal laws, Supreme Court, gun/firearm regulation, legislation, global statistics, firearms policy, gun massacres</p> <p>Gun regulation--global comparison Gun violence--prevention Countries of focus: Canada, Australia, and Japan</p>

Date	1/9/2019
Resource Name	Google search
Search Terms	"Gun regulation global comparison"
Search Limits	none
Results & Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 36,200,000 results! Mostly blogs and social media results</li> <li>• Found good information on the <a href="#">Council of Foreign Relations website</a> about how U.S. compares to other countries. Revisit this page to explore the links there. This makes me think that I should narrow my research to focus on just 2-3 other countries that have successfully reduced gun violence rates through legislation.</li> <li>• Do more research into Canada's 1995 Firearms act (<a href="#">read this article from Royal Canadian Mounted Police</a>)</li> <li>• Austrailia's <a href="#">National Firearms Agreement</a></li> </ul>
Citations Saved?	Saved CFR article to NoodleTools

Date	1/10/2019
Resource Name	Academic OneFile database
Search Terms	Subject guide search: "Gun control" → subdivision "International aspects"
Search Limits	Full text
Results & Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 results</li> <li>• 3 articles found from academic journals. I also found a <a href="#">good article from The Economist published in 1996</a>- good context about how US' and UK's ideologies about guns grew apart during this time.</li> </ul>
Citations Saved?	4 sources saved to NoodleTools