**Research Plan**



What is the **FOCUS** of my research?

My chosen speech topic is: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Define topic of research

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| What -  Where -  When -  Who -  Why is this an important topic/issue? |

What questions is your speech going to answer/address?

* Use the [question dice game](https://drive.google.com/file/d/10AVPClHuAx6ydTBRnSfCsAmCh6nXUv6Y/view?usp=sharing) and write as many questions about your topic as you can
* Record these in your exercise book
* Select your two best questions to be your research Key Questions

Key Questions *- get these checked by Ms Lambert before you proceed*

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Identify Key Words (search words) related to your speech topic and key questions

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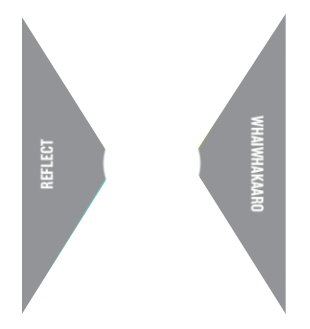
What resources/sources do I **PLAN** to use?

* Are there sources easily available to complete my research?
* Usefulness and reliability (use the [CRAAP test)](https://bowvalleycollege.libguides.com/research-help/evaluation)
* Range of places and types
* Primary/Secondary

Find useful and relevant resources you could use

(use your search words from above)

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| **Type of resource** | **Source details - list the sources you find** |
| Book   * [How to use the dewey system](https://www.waikato.ac.nz/library/about/collections/ddc) |  |
| EPIC [database](https://www.tki.org.nz/epic2)   * Help [video](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1b1sBq3kfrGVBs7iqaCxsWv2cF0k9ISaH/view?usp=sharing)   Username: **mission55**  Password: **heights3** |  |
| Website   * [How to search on Google](https://searchengineland.com/guide/how-to-use-google-to-search#:~:text=Just%20type%20what%20you're,what%20you're%20interested%20in.) |  |



Do I have appropriate relevant/useful/reliable sources to complete my resource?  
(you need to locate at least THREE useful/reliable sources. If you can’t - go back and change your topic)

**No** - go back to FOCUS/PLAN …

**Yes** - carry on…..