



Online Search Techniques Worksheet

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1	Get a rough idea .	<i>(Write your idea here)</i>		
2	Think of the specific question you want to answer.	<i>(Write your question here)</i>		
3	<i>From your question above, circle the keywords to use in your search</i>			
4	<i>Write each keyword in its own column.</i>			
5	<i>Write any synonyms or related terms for each keyword in the appropriate column.</i>			

6. For each of the **truncated** (root word) search terms listed below, provide some **search terms** that would be found or retrieved from this truncation strategy.

a. **child*** will find: _____

b. **educat*** will find: _____