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**Project Topic Proposal**

1. What is the topic you are proposing?

2. What is the question that your paper will answer?

3. You should have already read three background sources. Background sources may be the kinds of sources you may NOT cite in your paper – Wikipedia, public websites, general interest publications like Discover, Earth, Scientific American, Science News, etc.

List the three sources you used here.

4. Describe what you know about the problem/issue so far.

5. How will you research this topic?

a. List at least five search terms (search terms should be one or two words, not a whole phrase or question)

b. Which databases will you use?