

## Turning Topics into Research Questions

Take a look at these topic ideas and sample questions and then write a research question of your own on the same topic.

Topic	Sample Research Questions	Your Questions
Immunizations	Should parents keep their children from getting immunizations? What if a large number of parents in a state refused to immunize their children?	
Crime	What causes people to commit violent crimes? How should we effectively solve the problem of violent crime?	
Afghanistan	What would happen if we pulled our troops out of Afghanistan in the next month? Why should a limited number of troops stay Afghanistan after we pull large numbers out?	
Influential People	What if Kennedy had not been assassinated? What if Abraham Lincoln had lost his election to be president?	

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